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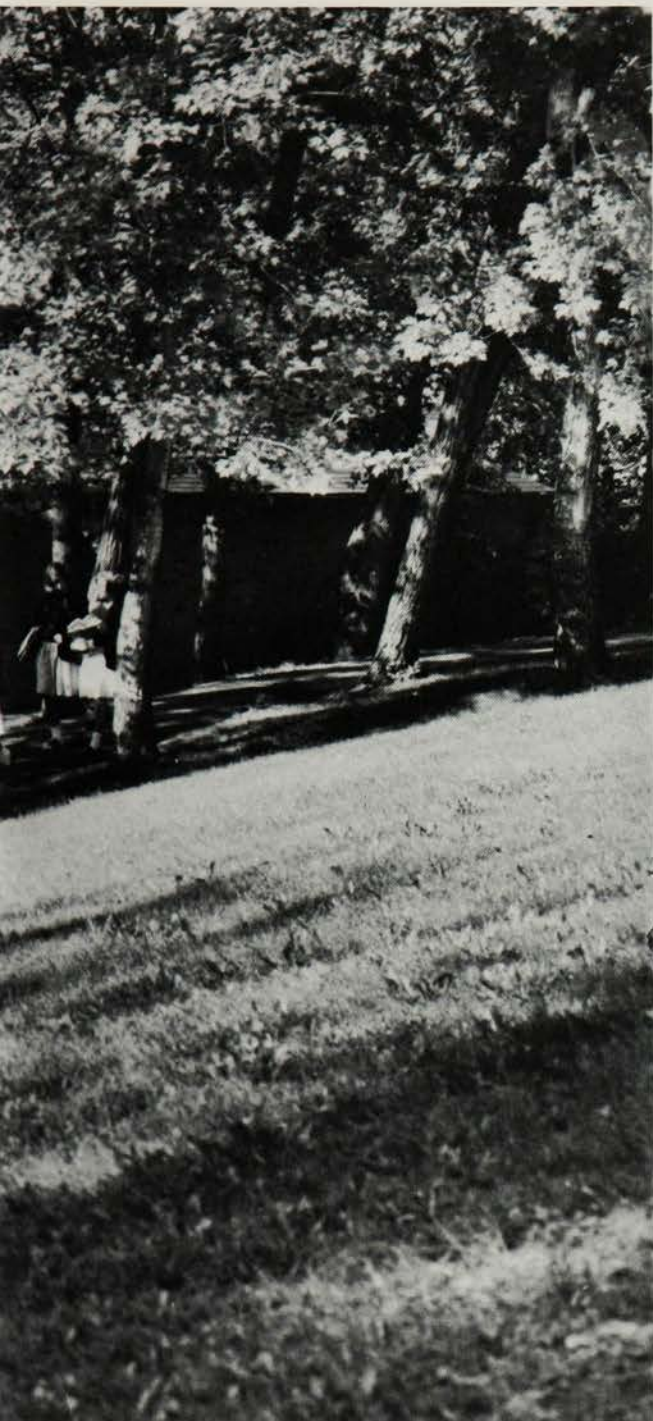
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Who is that man we see constantly around campus? He's one who is not only enthusiastic and stimulating as a teacher, but as a person as well. If you want to know where he is, you can usually find him eating those fattening (?) feasts in the Field. He can be seen listening but also stating his own opinions after all-night sessions solving the world's problems. His intellectual curiosity doesn't stop here but is transmitted into the classroom. His courses are far from dry. The constant initiation of class participation creates an intense and ardent interest in the subjects he teaches. He possesses that rare quality among men; unfailing patience. Who else can keep calm when thirty girls in lab all call his name in unison! Because of the inspiration he creates among students, his loyal dedication to the teaching profession and his endless faith in the ability of the students, we, the Senior Class, proudly dedicate the 1966 BELL COTE to Mr. Charles Stores!







IN TRIBUTE TO
THE SEMINARY;
OUR FOUNDER AND
FRIEND.

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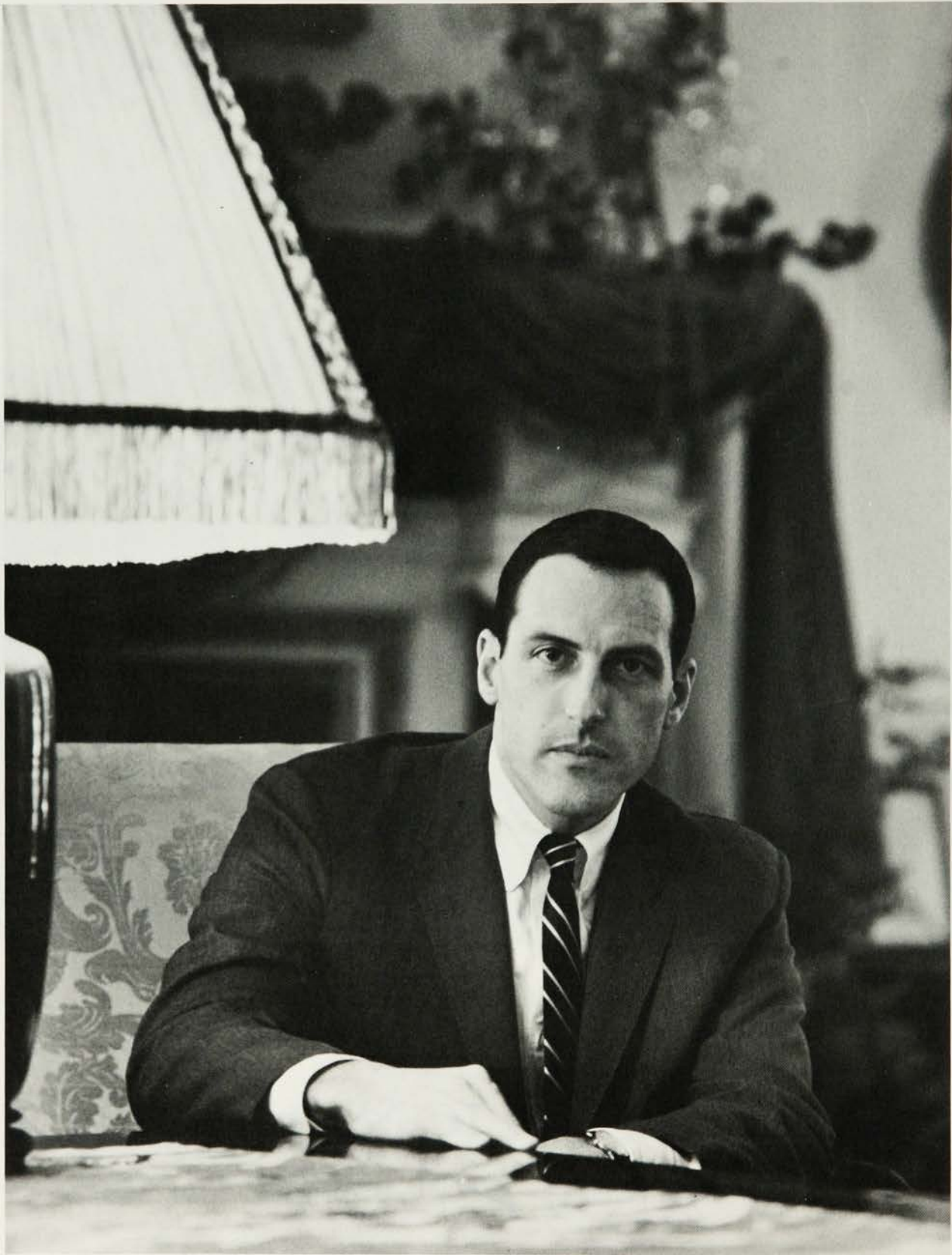
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ADMINISTRATION



Peter D. Pelham, President

MESSAGE TO THE CLASS OF 1966

It has been less than two years since you entered Mount Vernon although nearly a century has passed since Mrs. Somers first accepted pupils into her home on F Street. What a seemingly great discrepancy there is between these two integrals of time, and how difficult it must be for you to measure both the impact of the lesser and the significance of the greater on your individual growth and development.

There is, nevertheless, a correlation between time present and time past not only in the sense of heritage and tradition but also in the enduring vision which has distinguished each successive generation of Mount Vernon graduates.

During your years here you have developed a marked degree of independence, directness of purpose, and self-reliance, and you have also come to understand that the philosophy which guided Mrs. Somers—a belief that education required “an earnest appetite for the noblest things in nature, in art, in books, in friendship and in character”—is just as meaningful today as it was a century ago.

I am confident that what you have discovered in these two years not only about yourselves but also about the process of learning will lead to an even greater acquisition of knowledge in the years to come. Above all, however, I hope that your enduring vision will reflect the timeless wisdom of Proverbs 4:7 that “Knowledge is the principal thing, therefore get knowledge; but with all thy getting get understanding.”

To this end be faithful and true, remembering service above self, and your *alma mater's* well-chosen motto: “She conquers all things who conquers herself.”

Peter B. Williams





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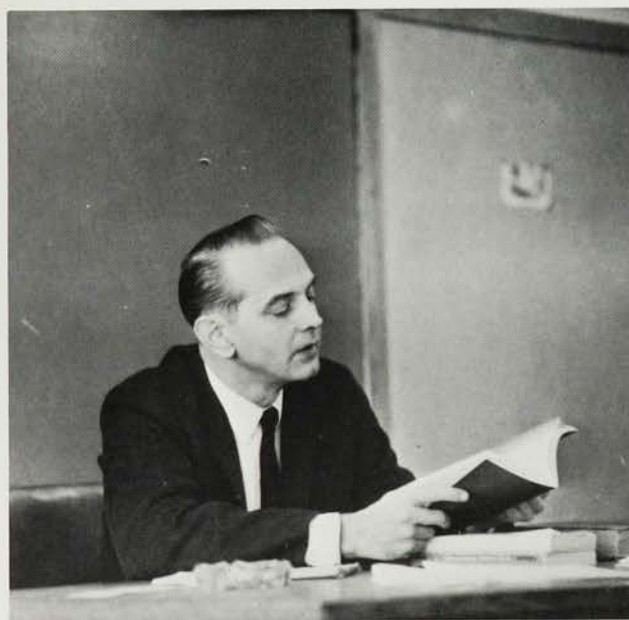
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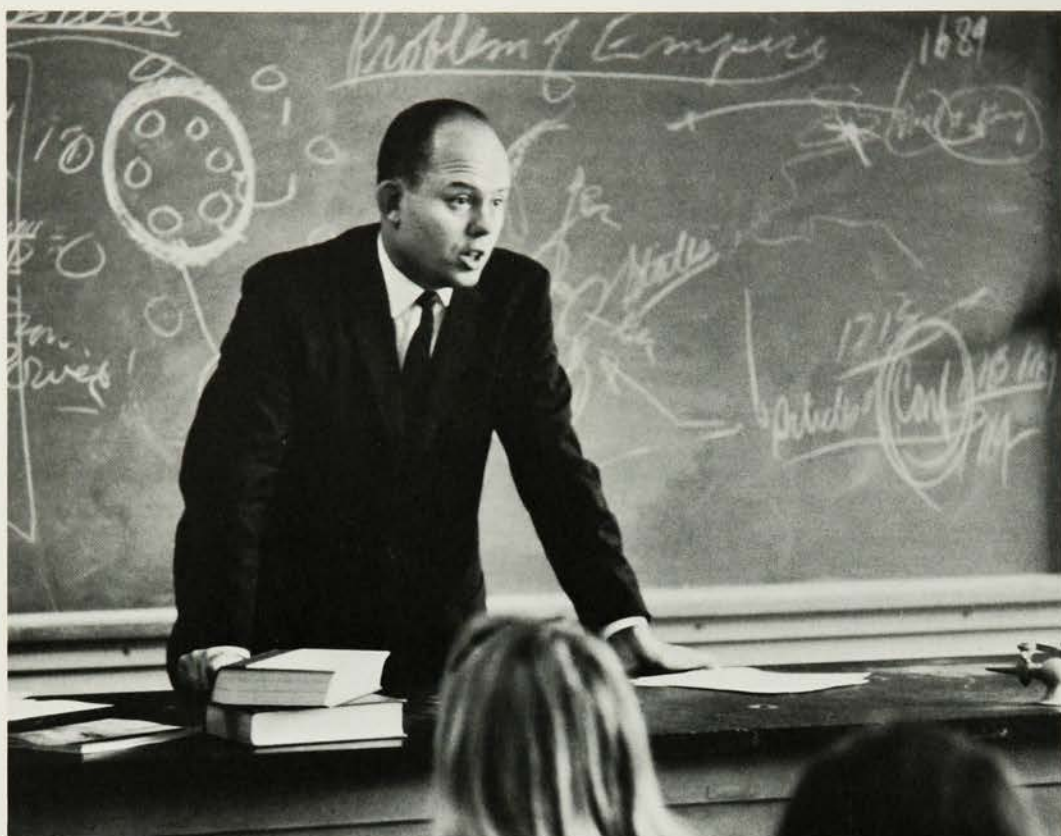




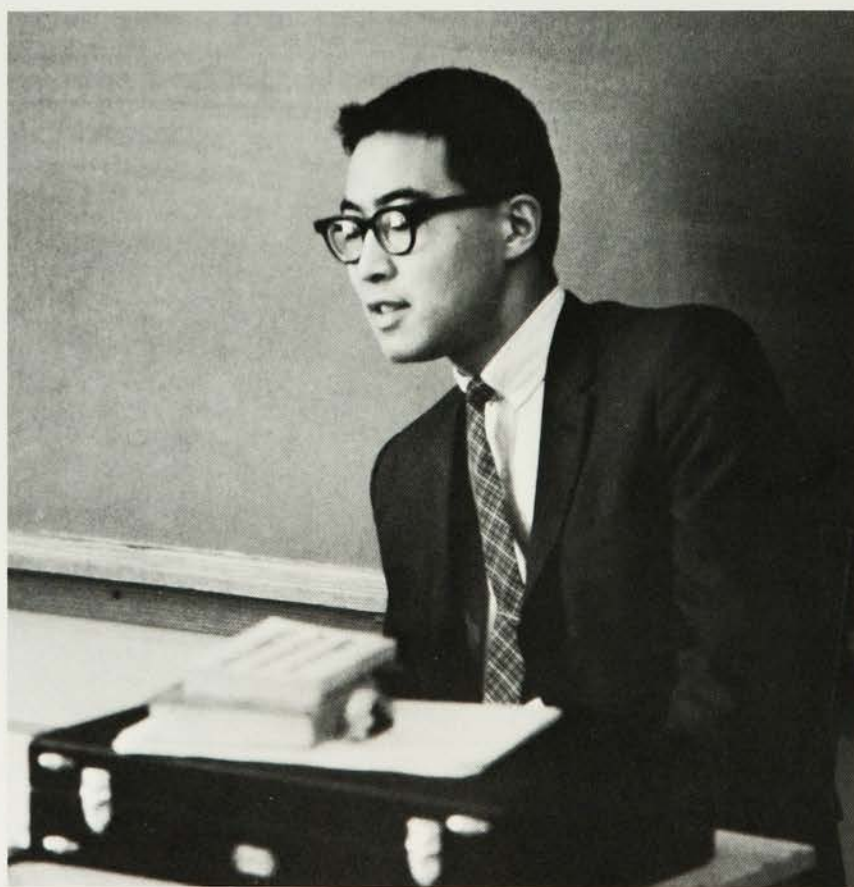
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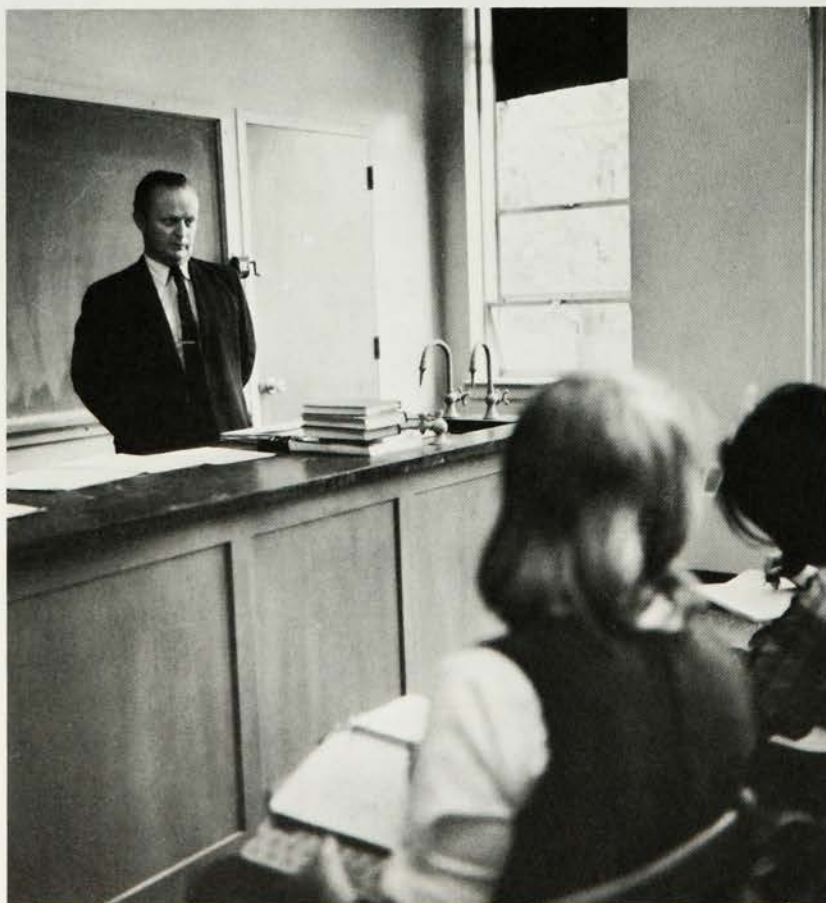


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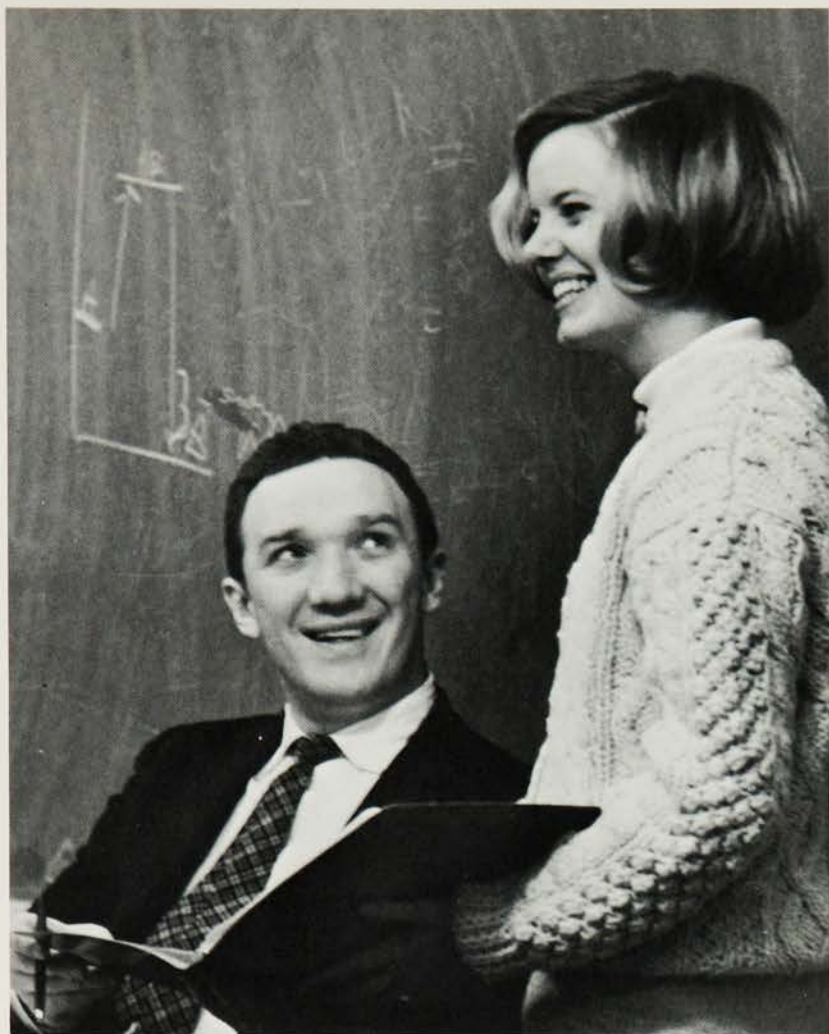


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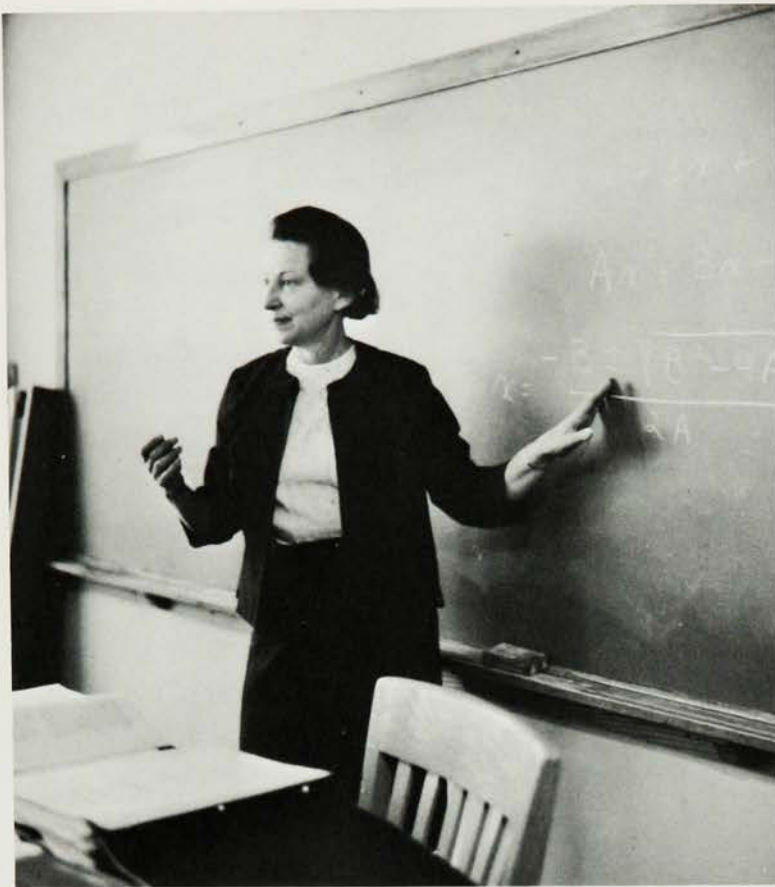
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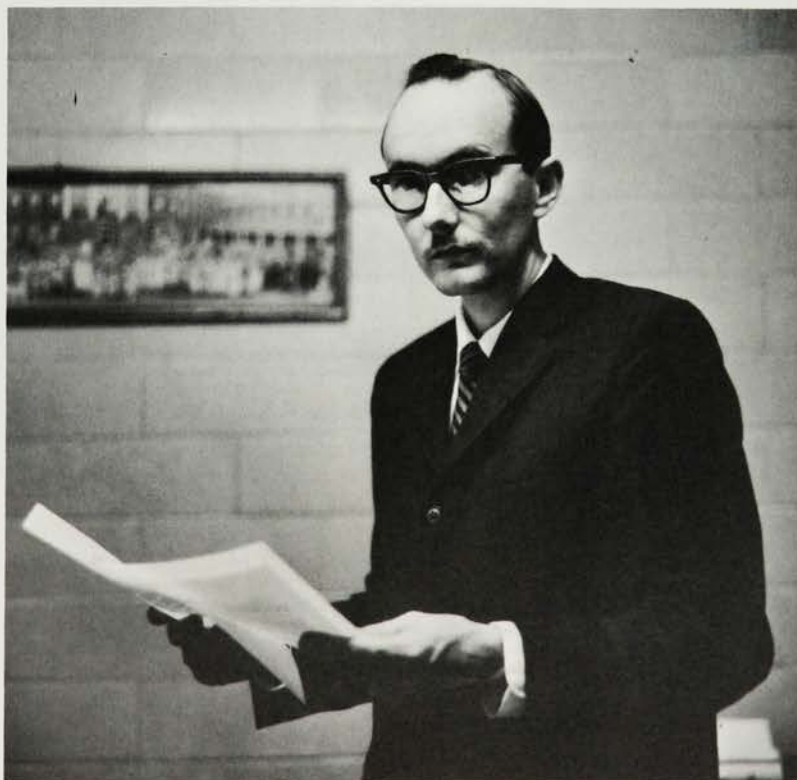
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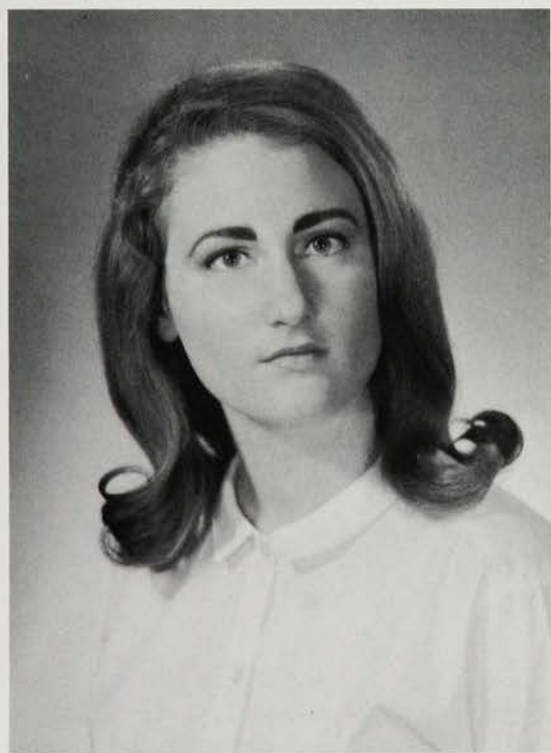


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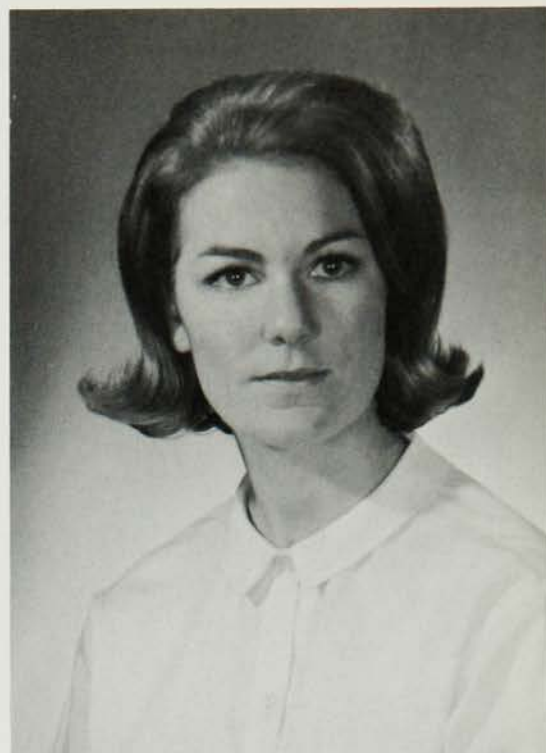




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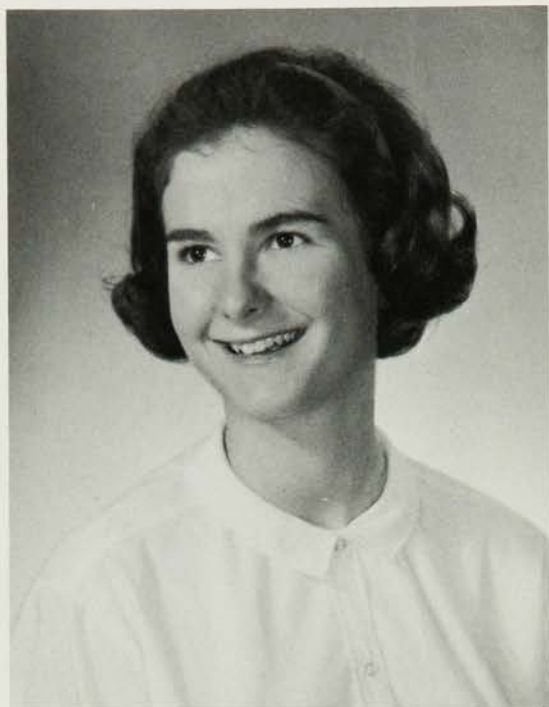


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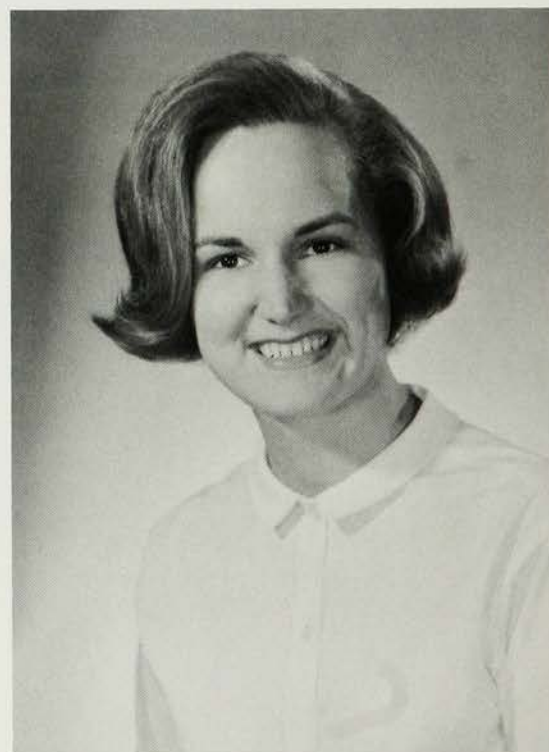


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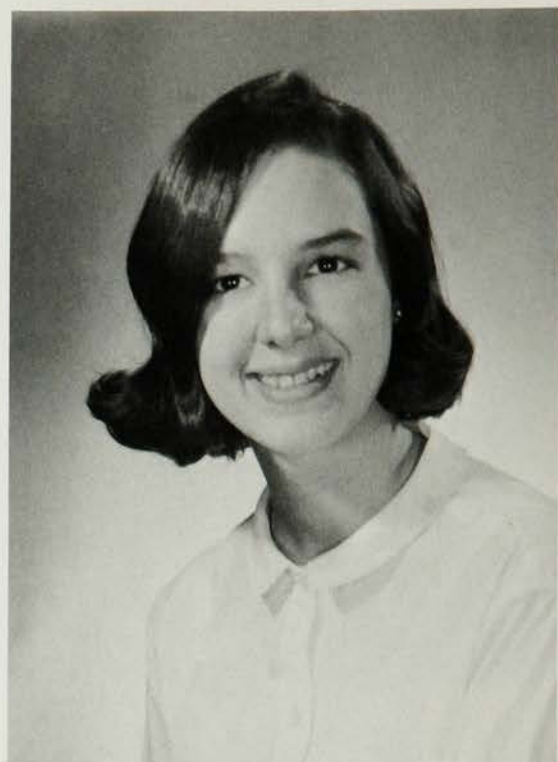
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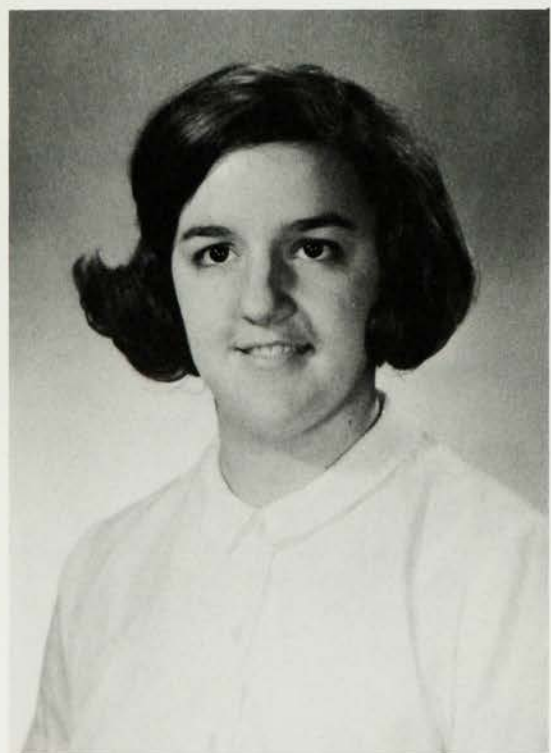
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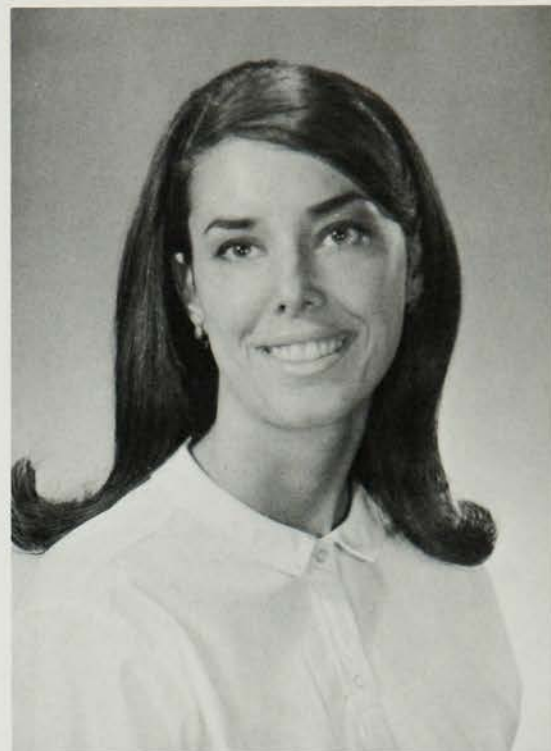


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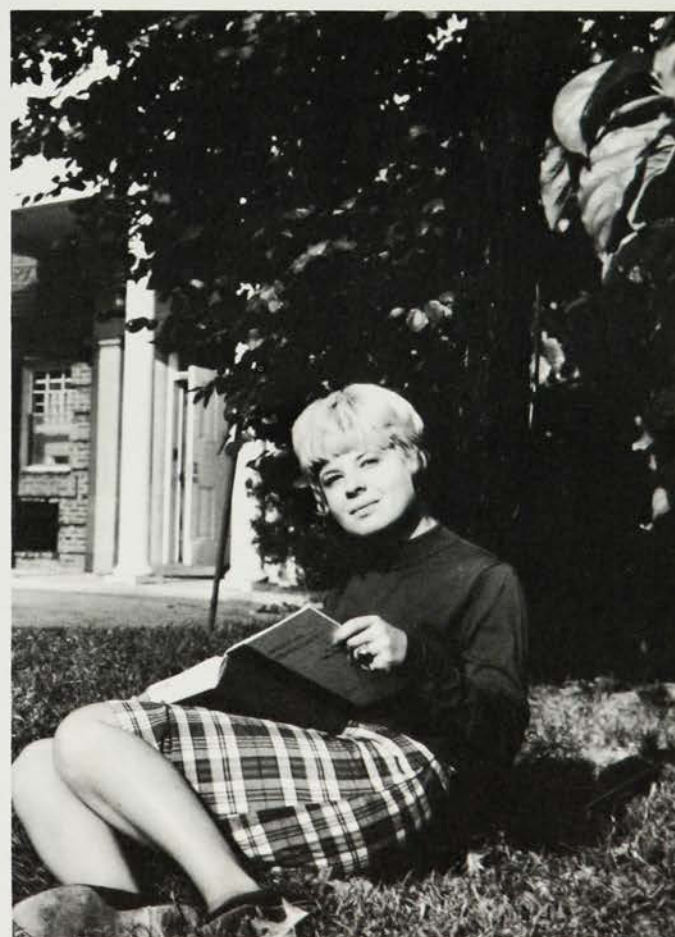




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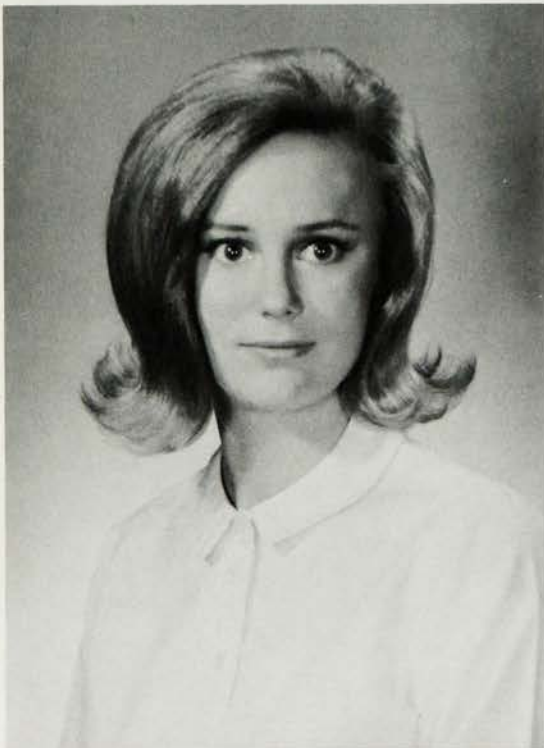


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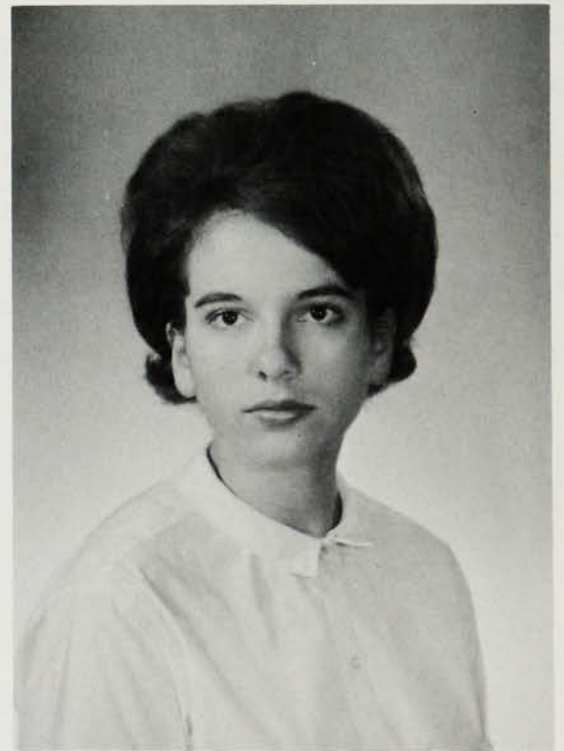
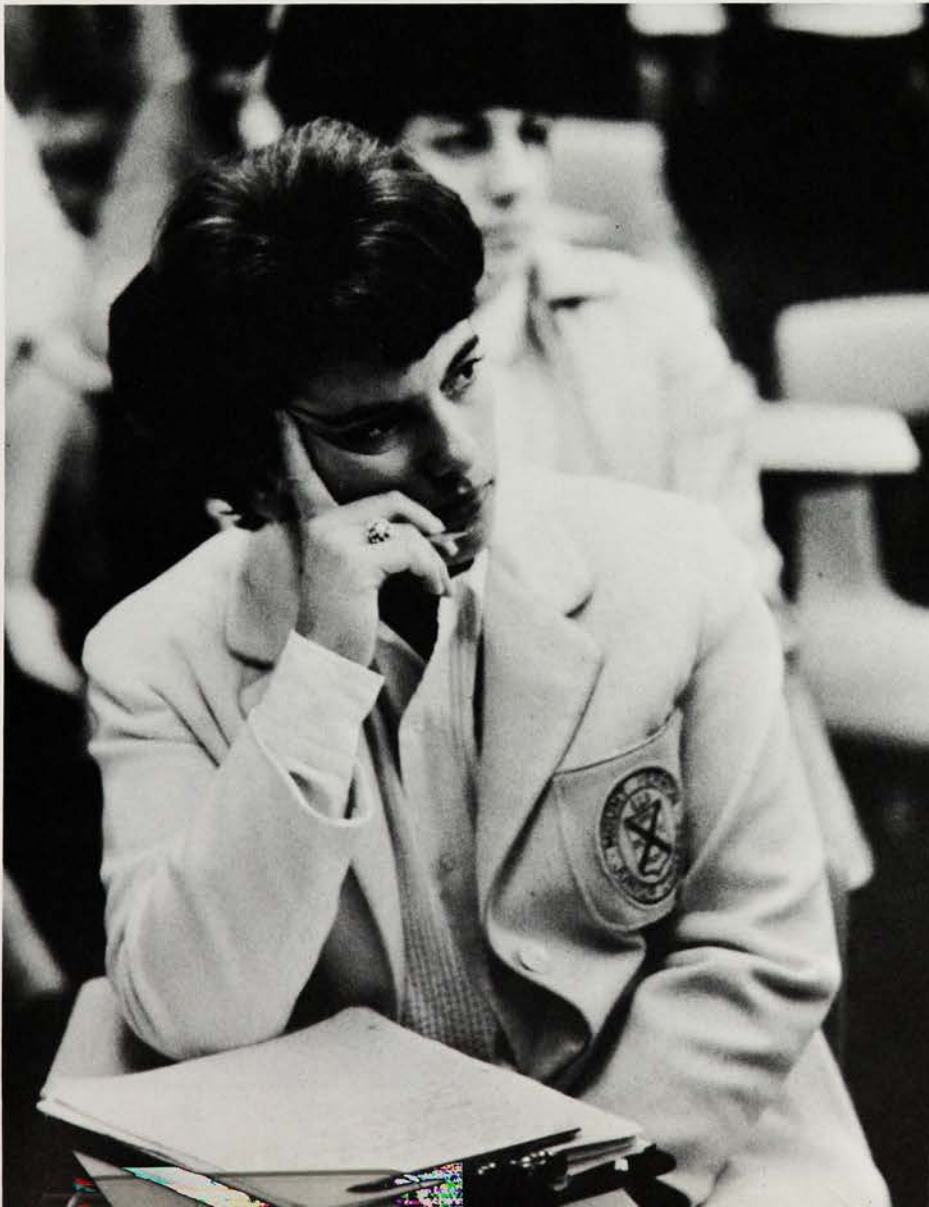


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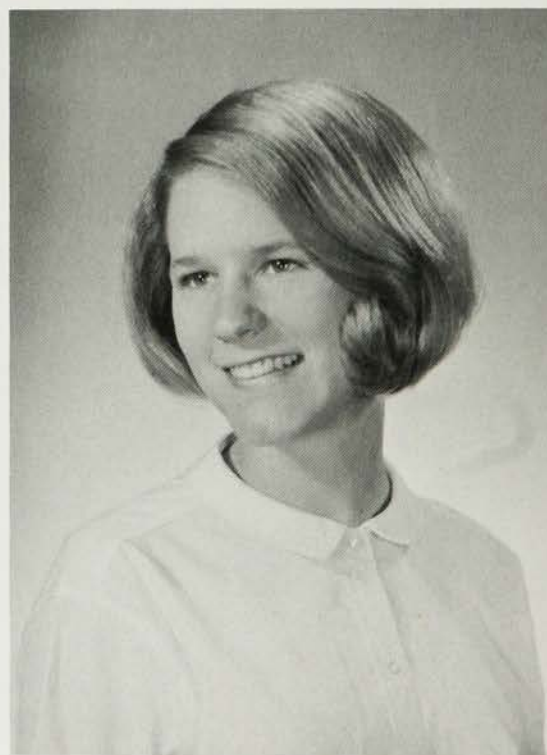
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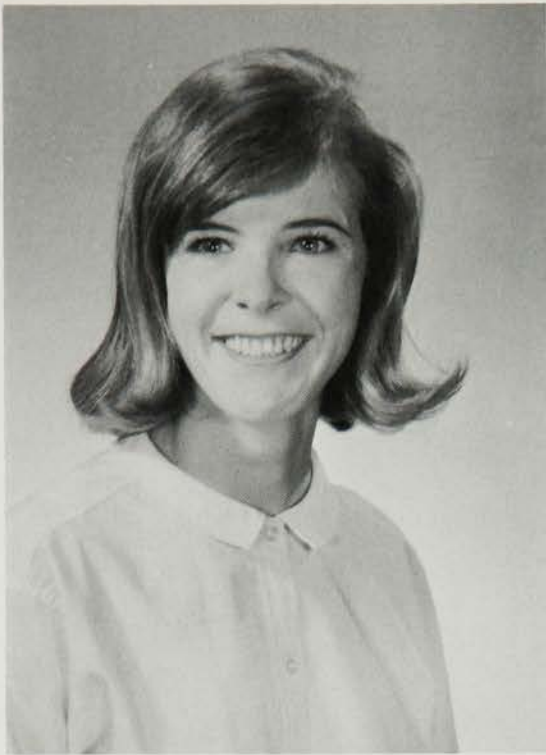
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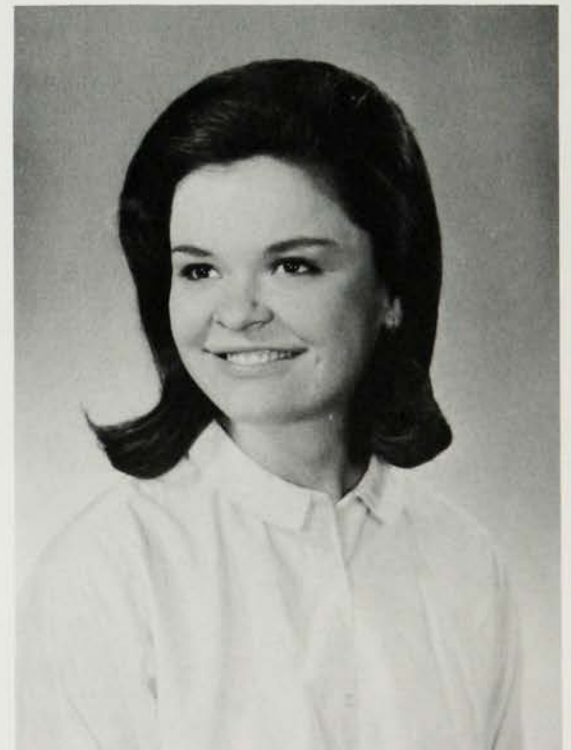
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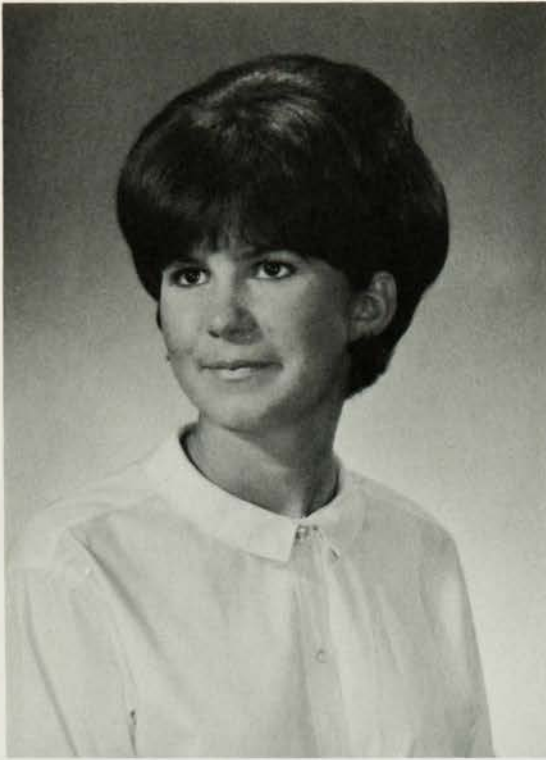




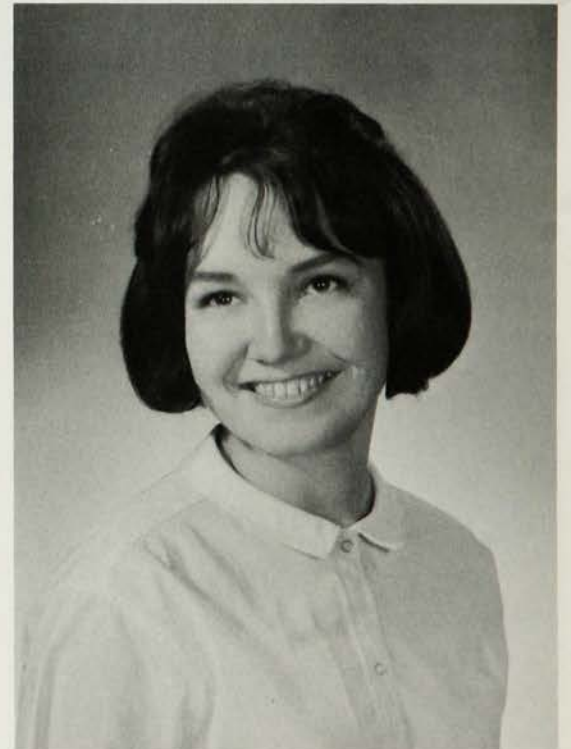
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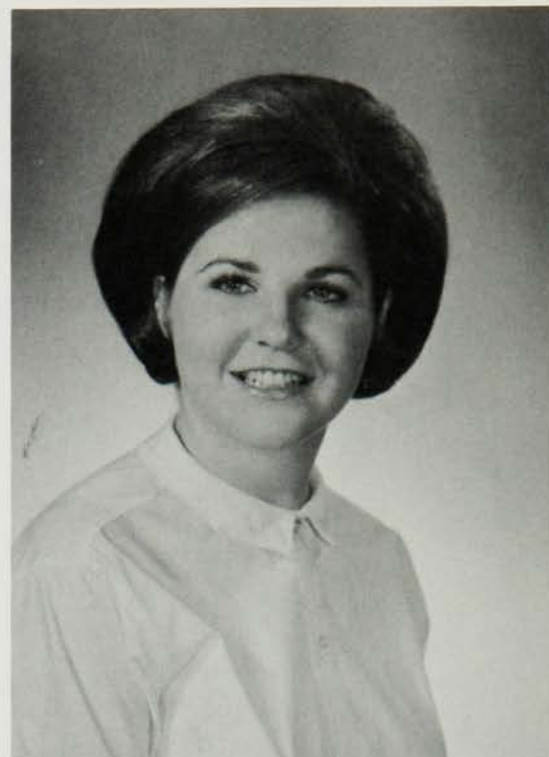




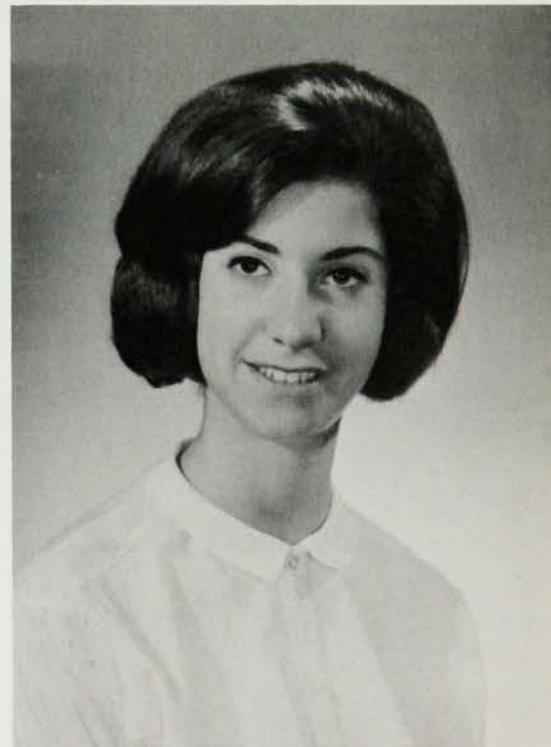
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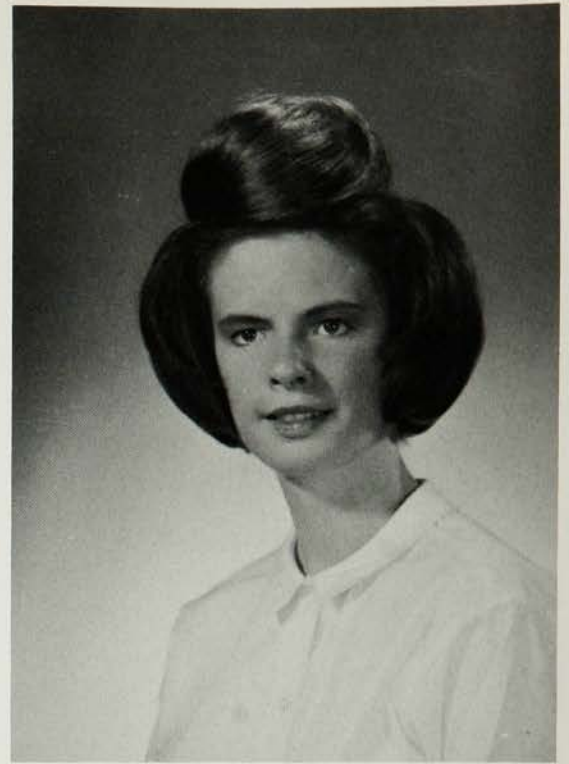
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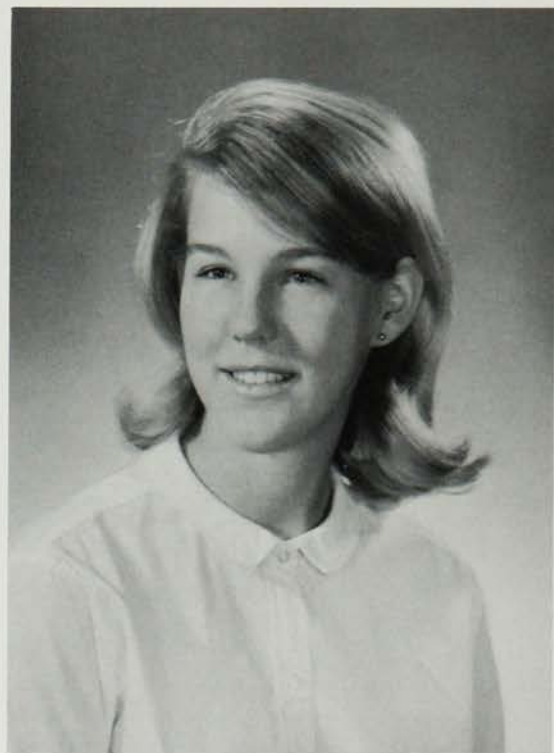


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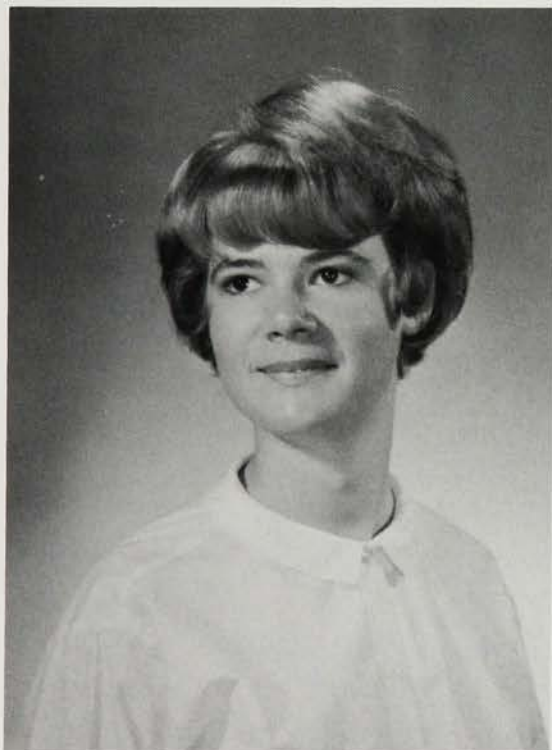


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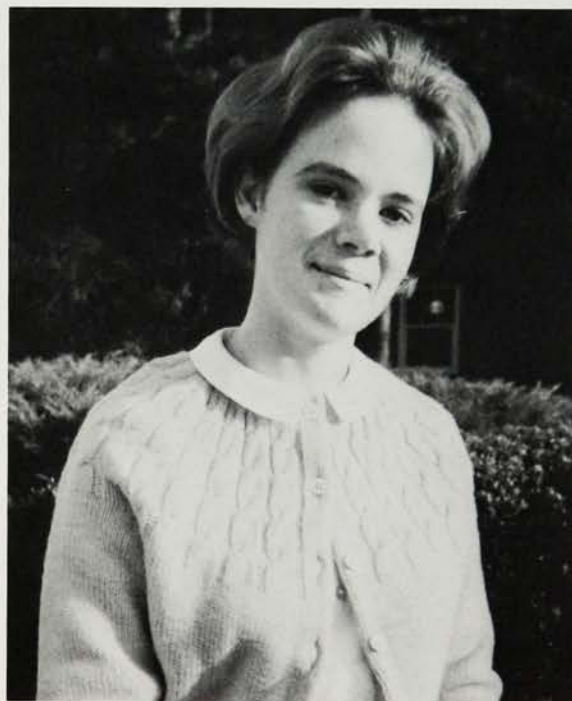




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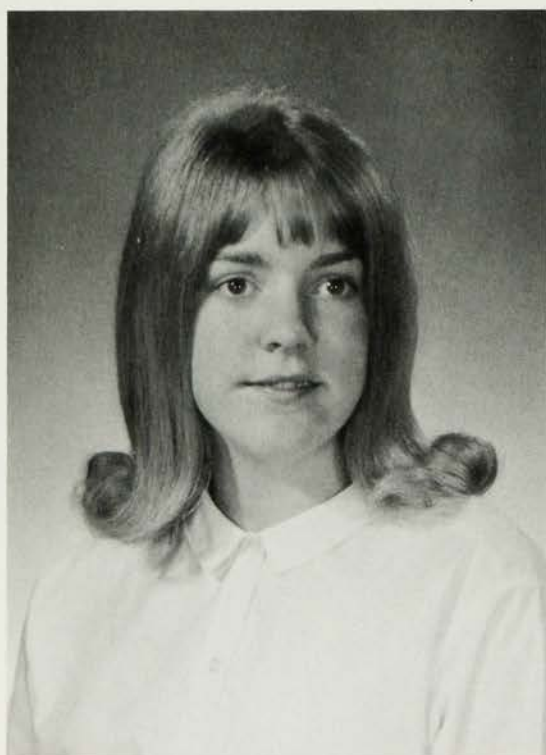


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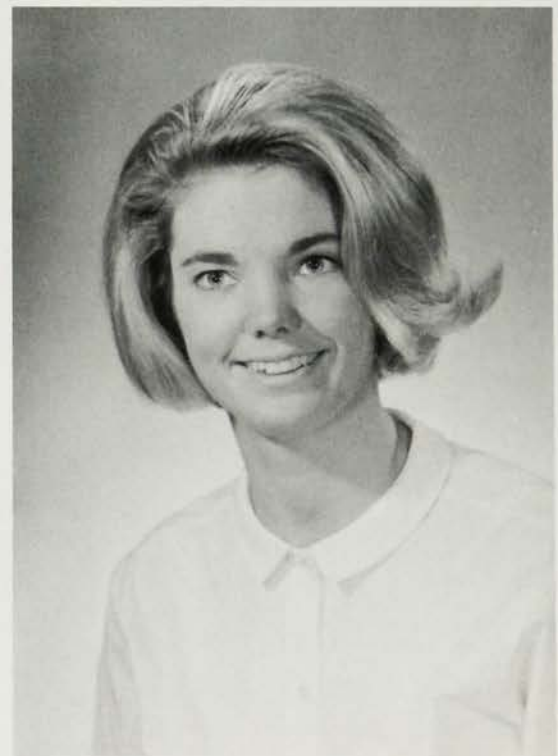
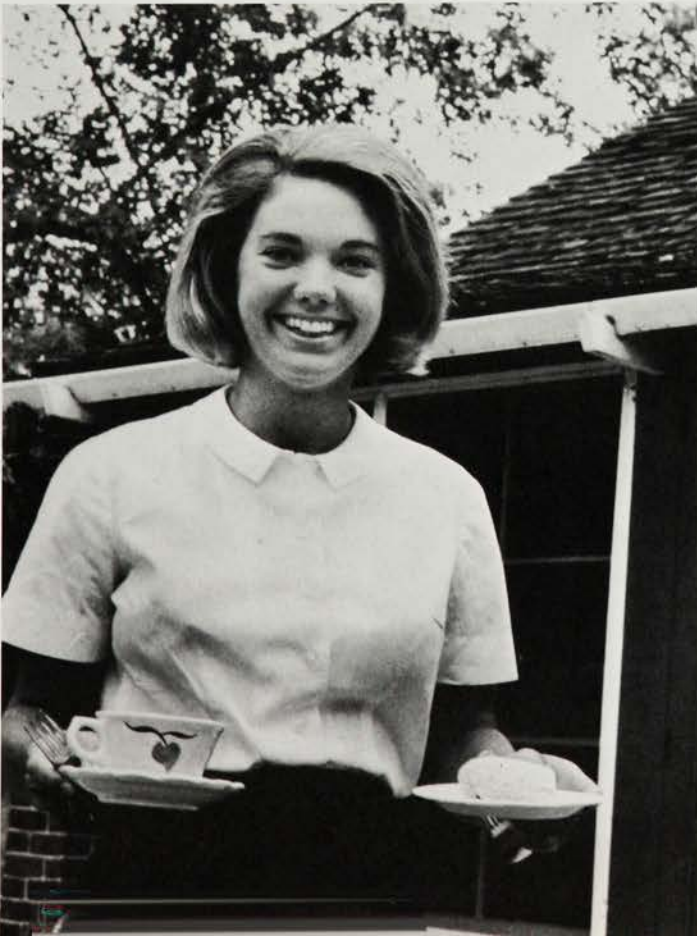


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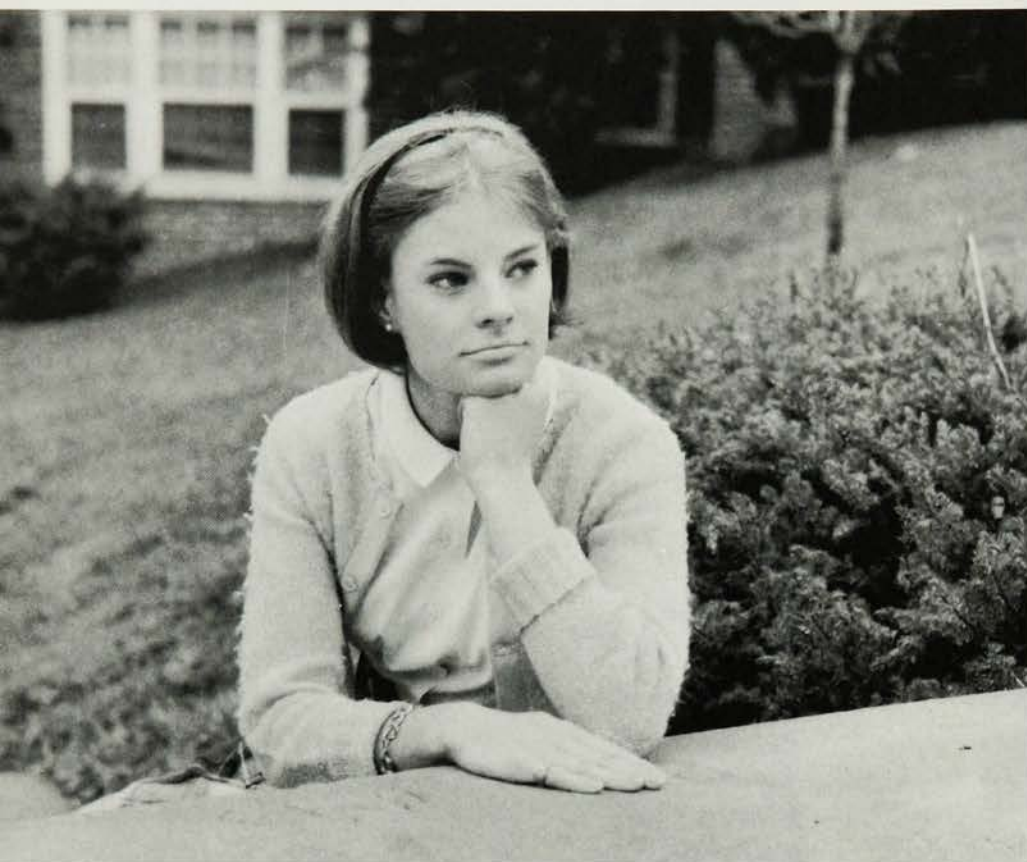




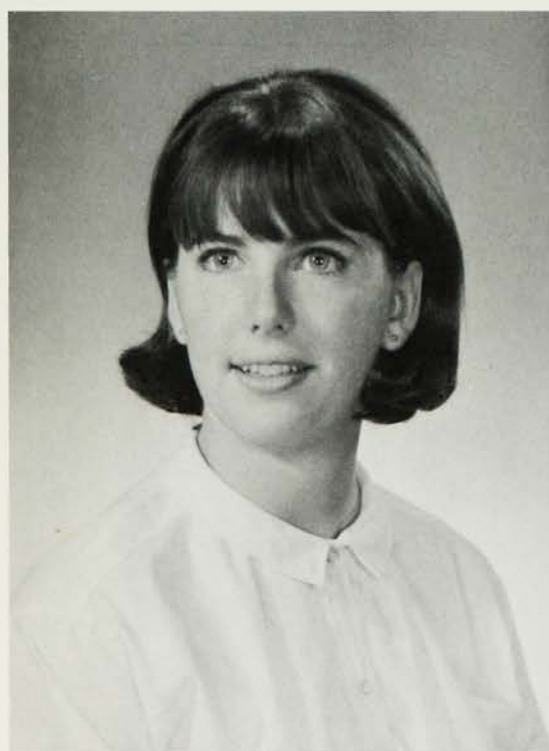
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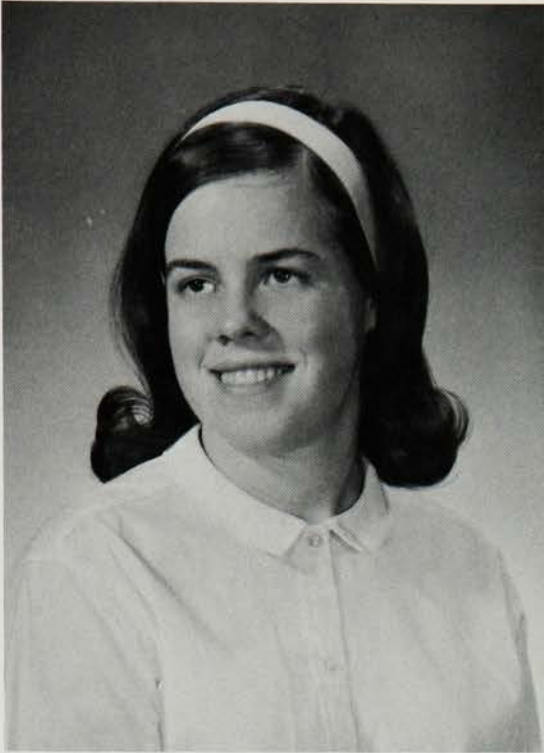


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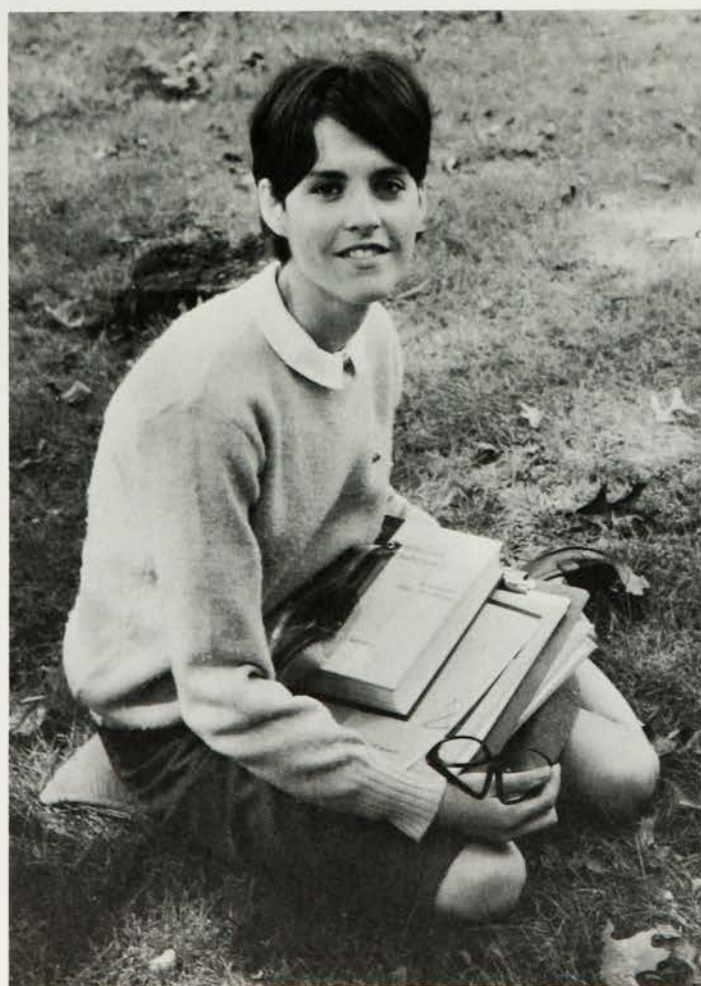
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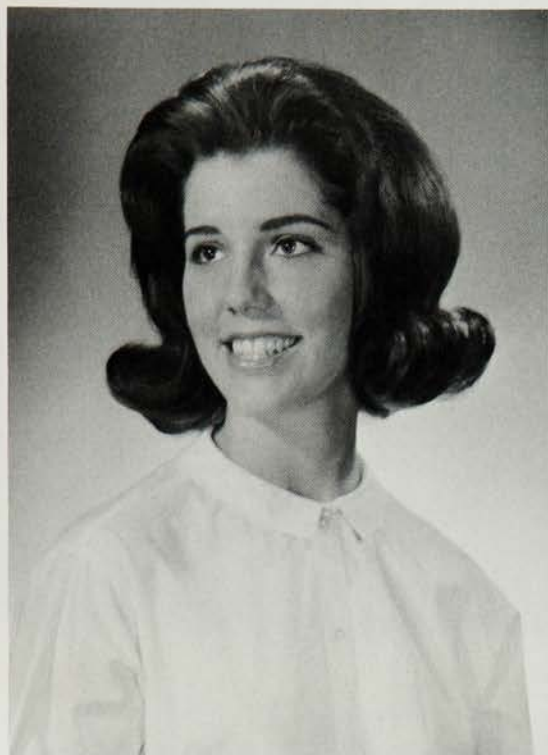
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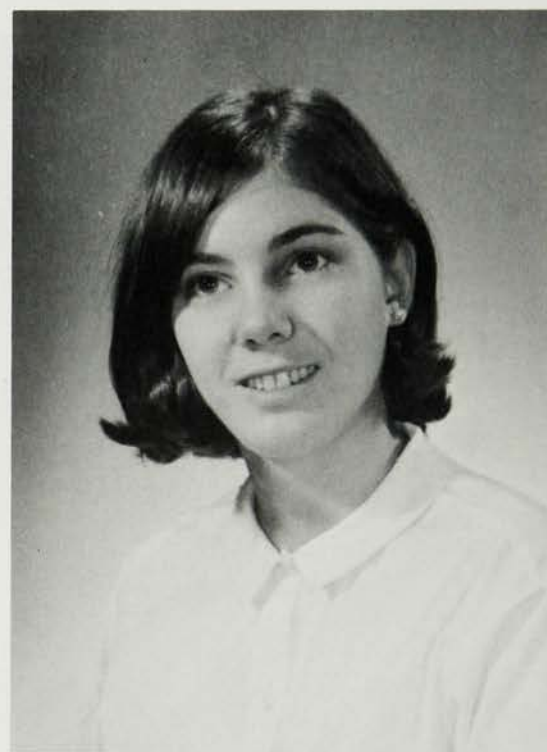
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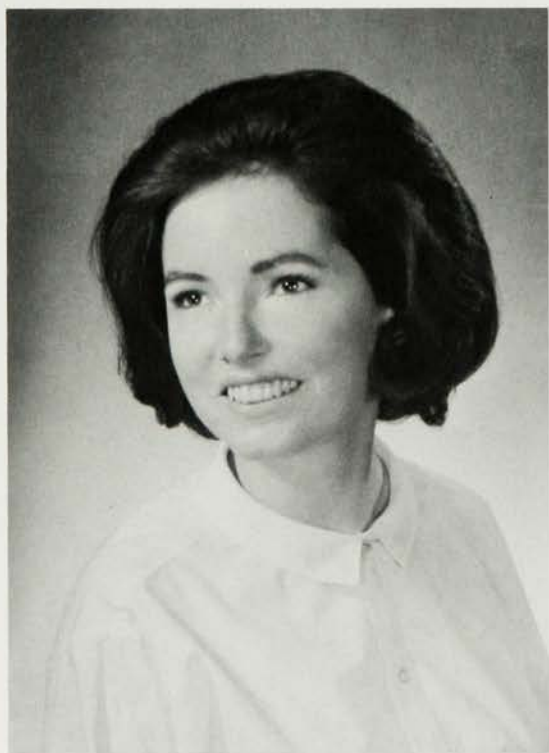
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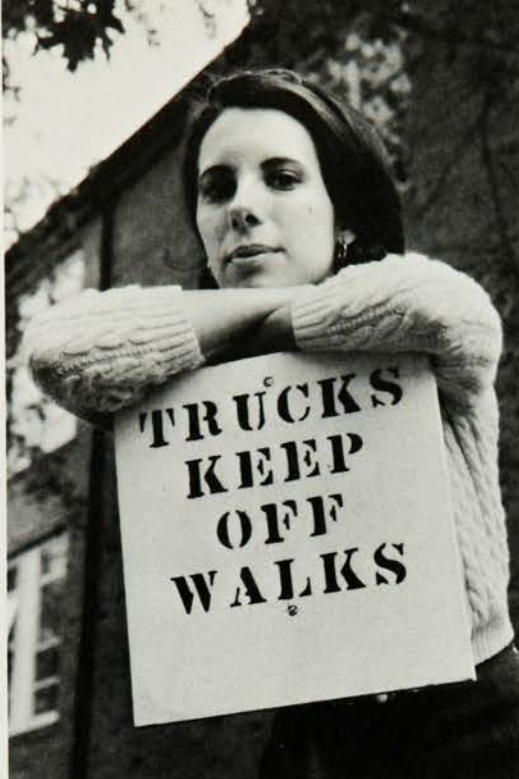


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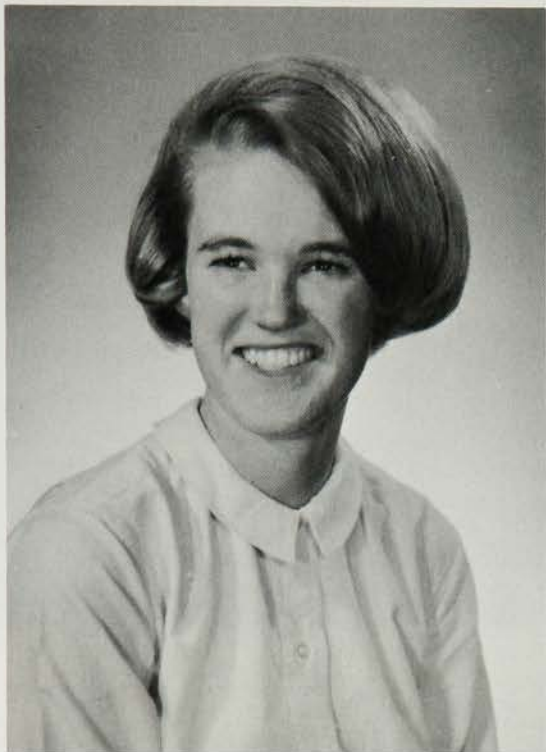


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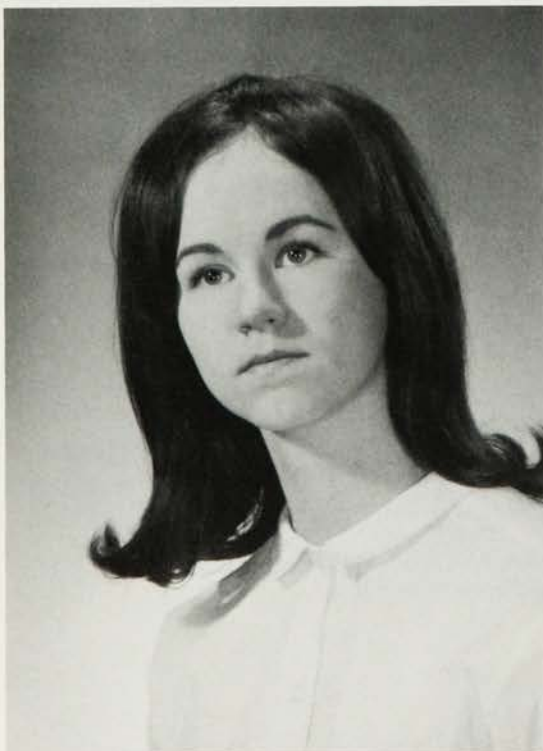


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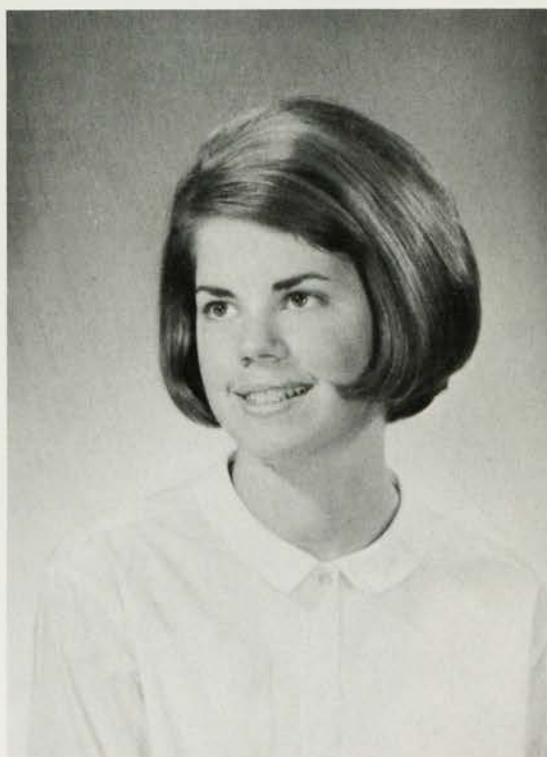


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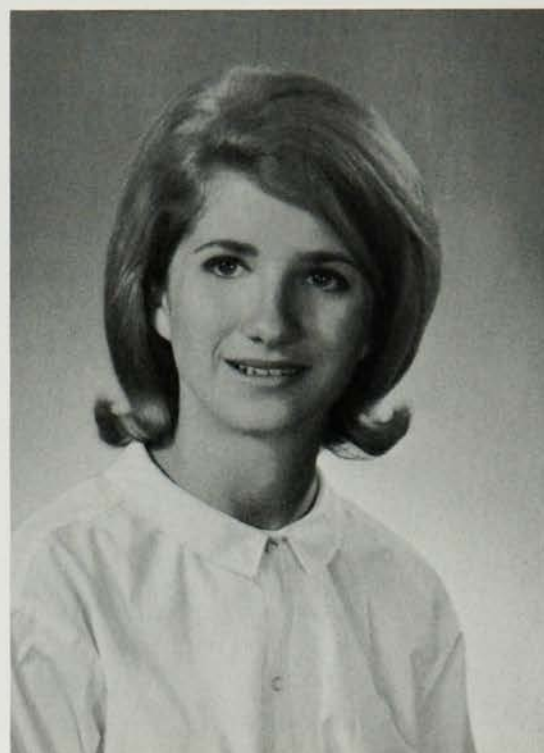


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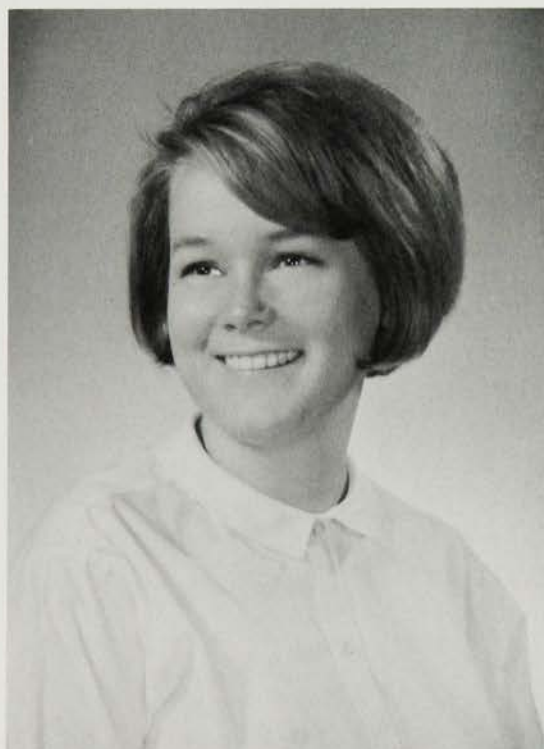


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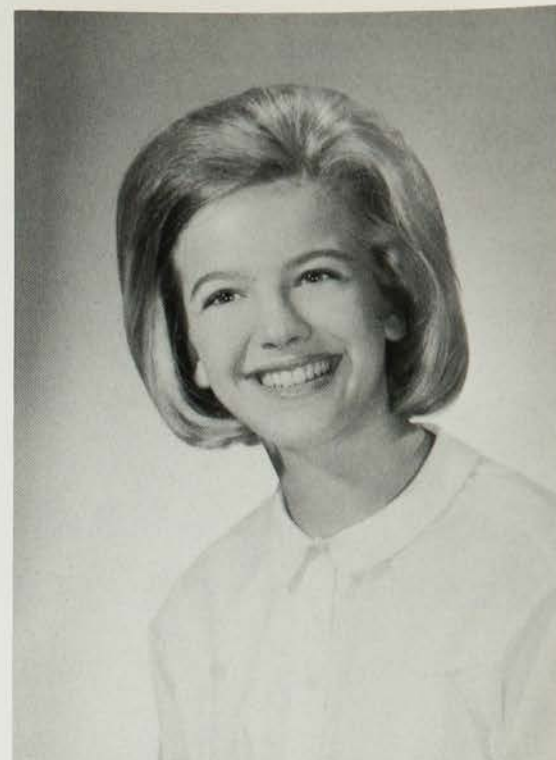


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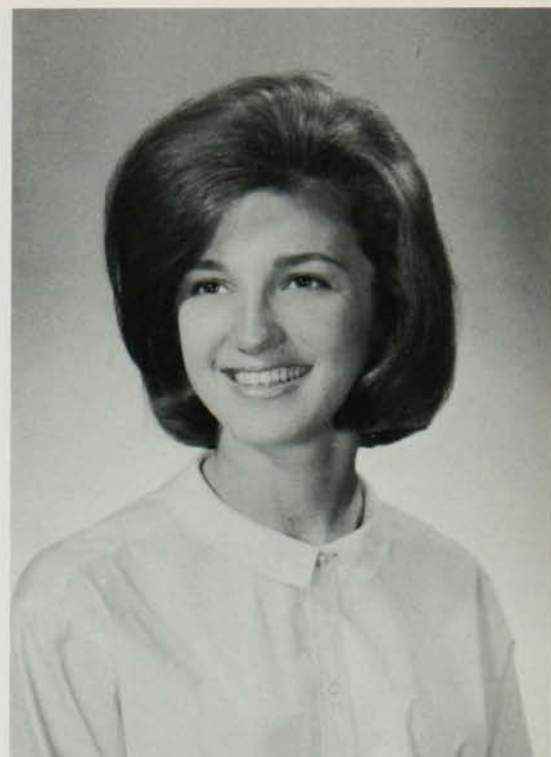


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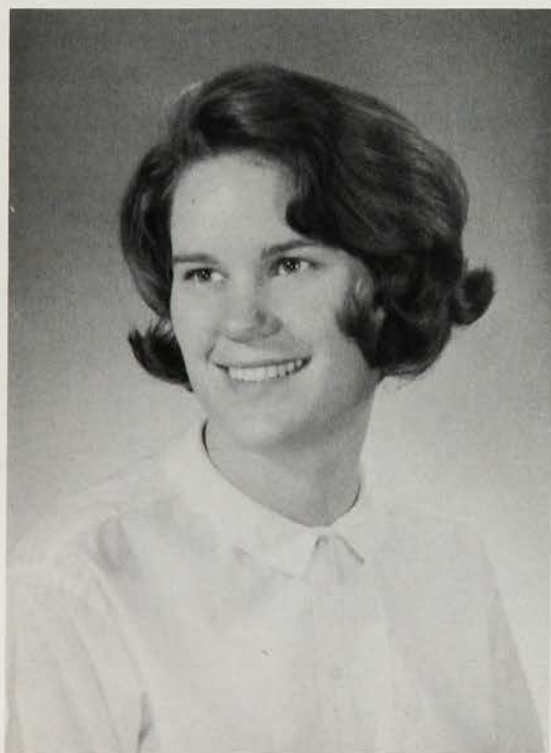


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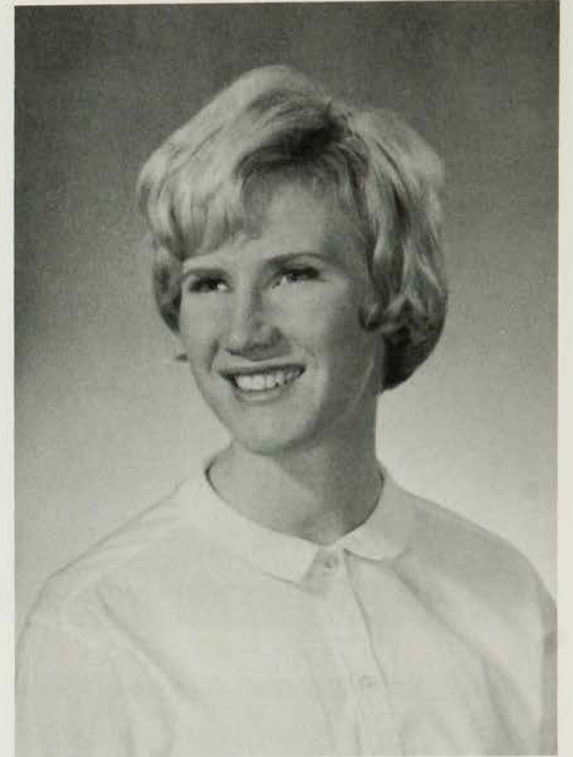


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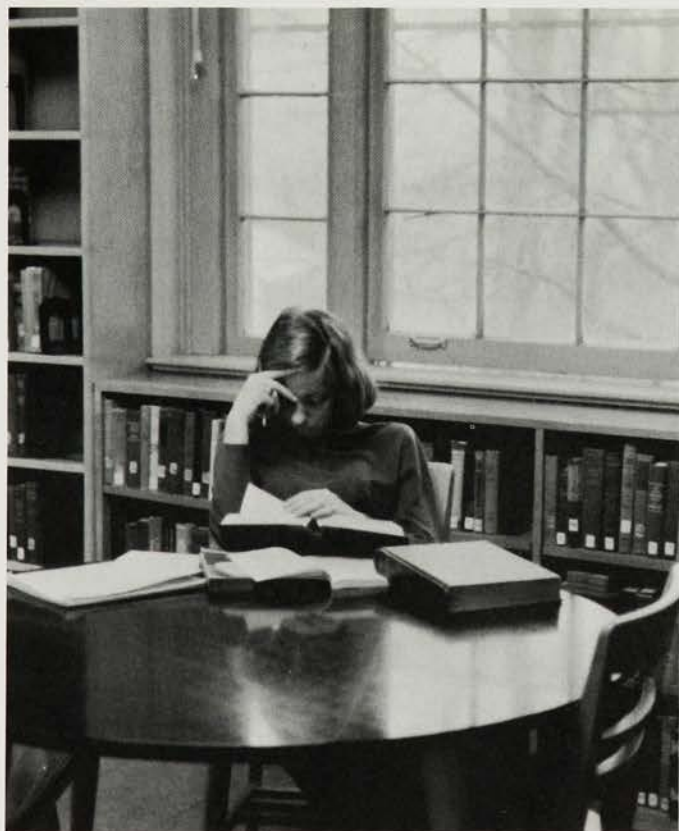


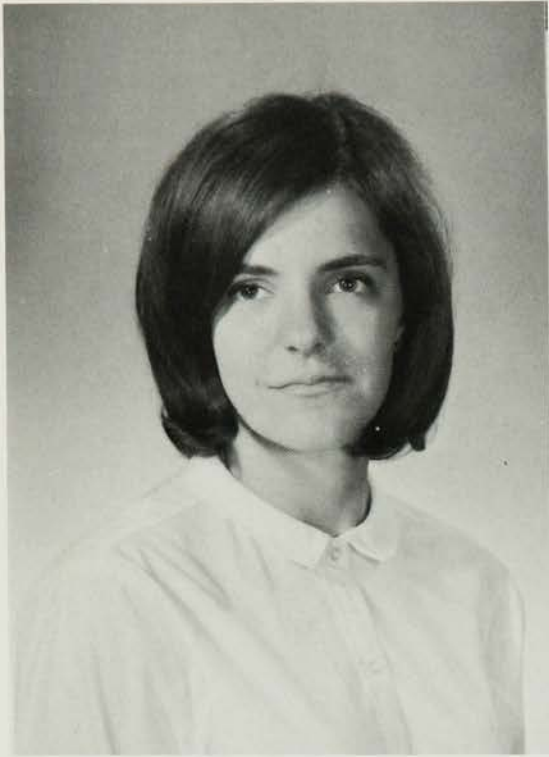


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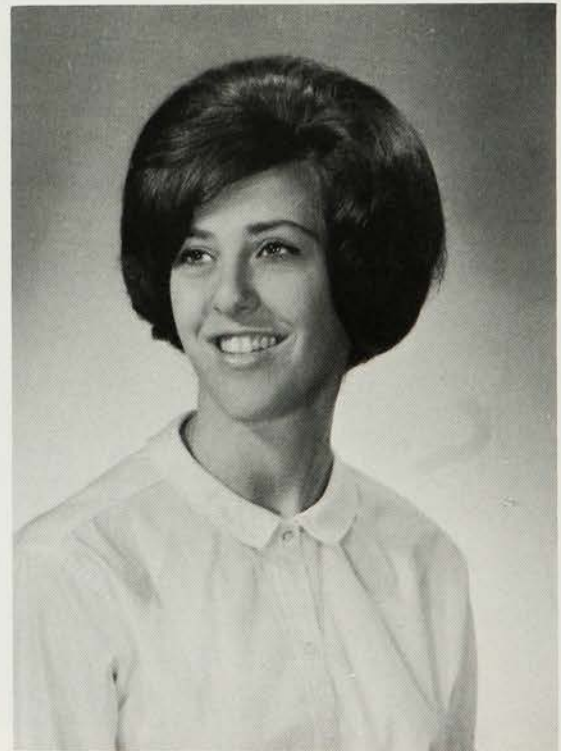


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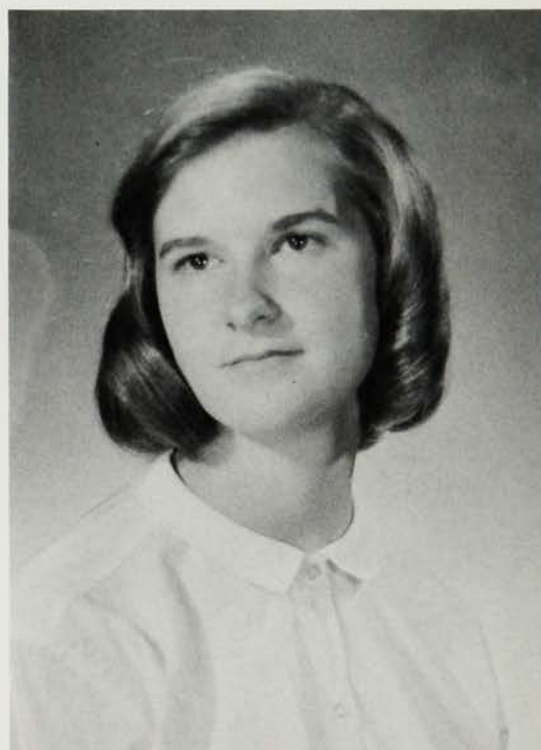
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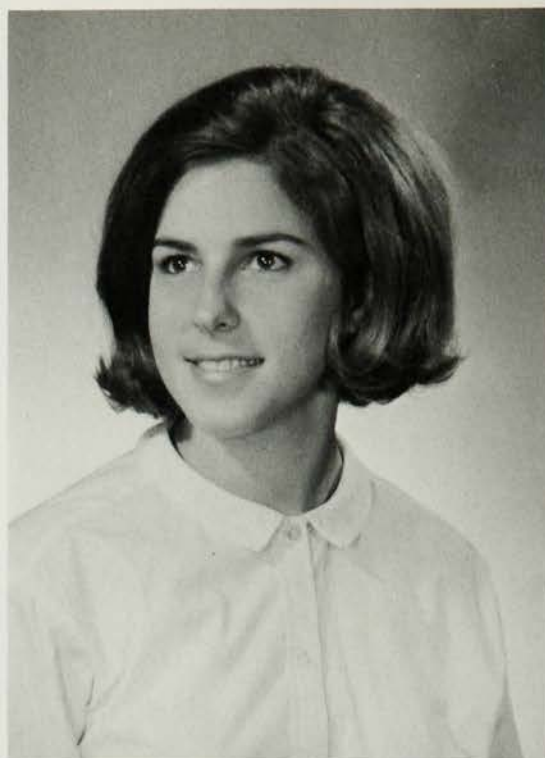
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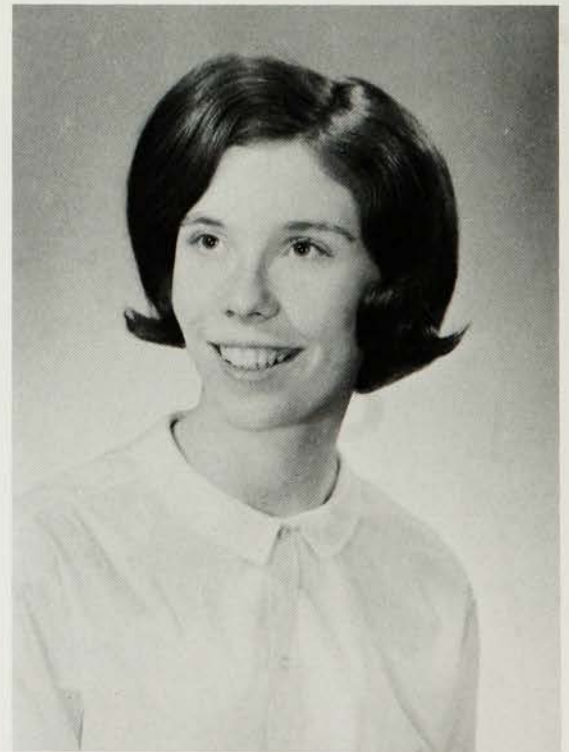


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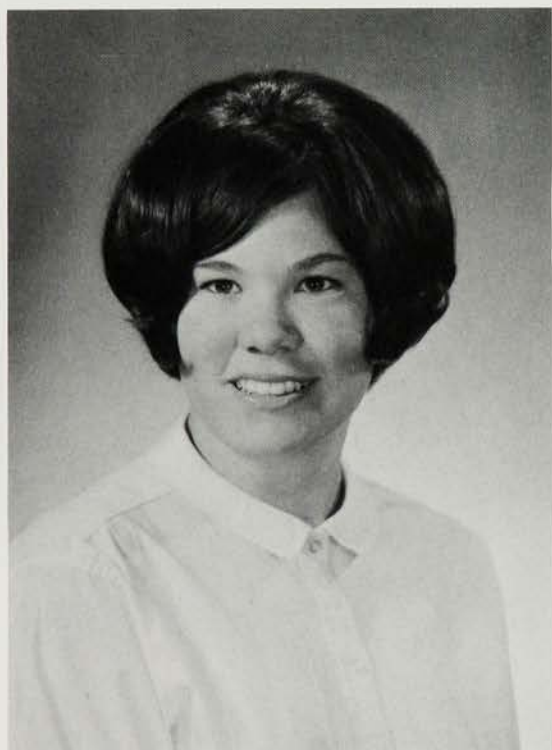
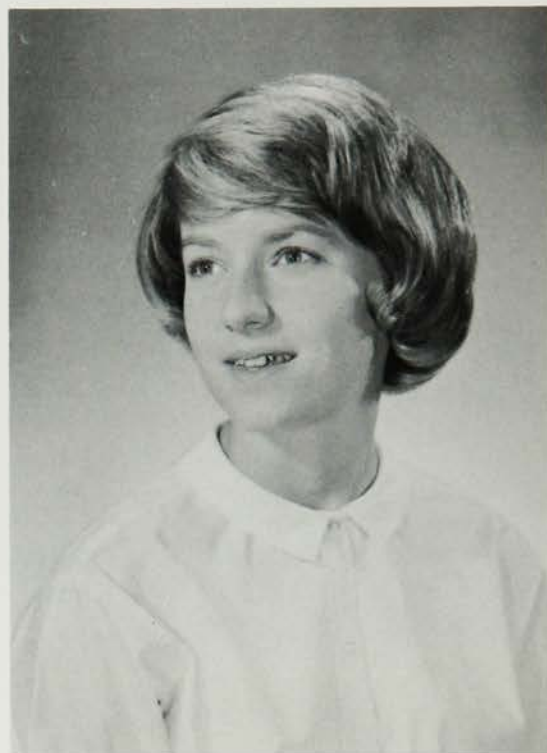
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CATHERINE ANN WELSH
Washington, D.C.



PATRICIA LOUAN WHITNEY
Saint Louis, Missouri



MELINDA LANI WIGHT
Honolulu, Hawaii





ELIZABETH CURRY WILLIAMS
Washington, D.C.



WENDY WILLIAMS
Hingham, Massachusetts





JOANNE CLARK WOODRUFF
Greenwich, Connecticut



LESLIE GAYLORD WRIGHT
Riesterstown, Maryland





ELIZABETH SYDNEY YOUNG
Lexington, North Carolina



Social Unity



Mark of Distinction

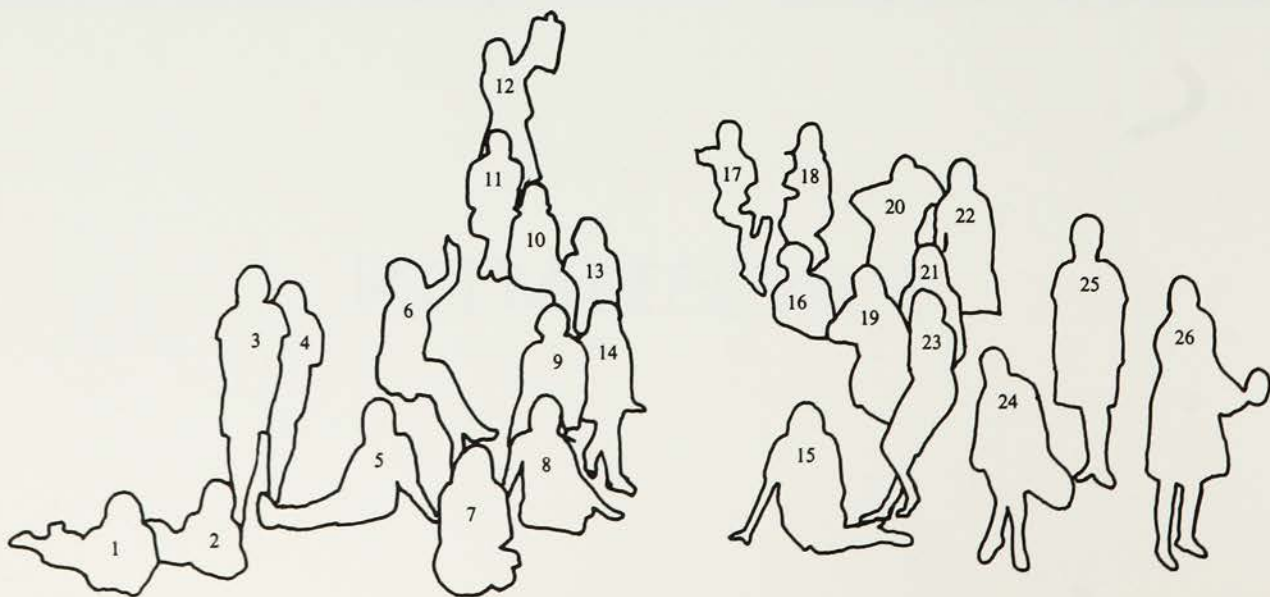
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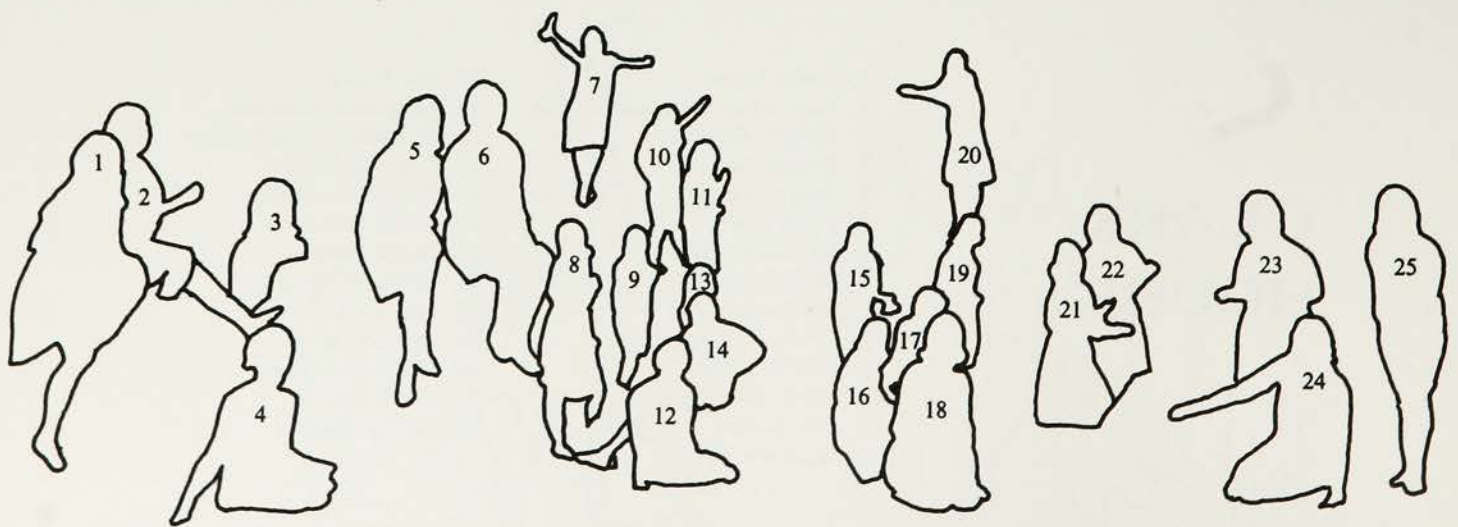
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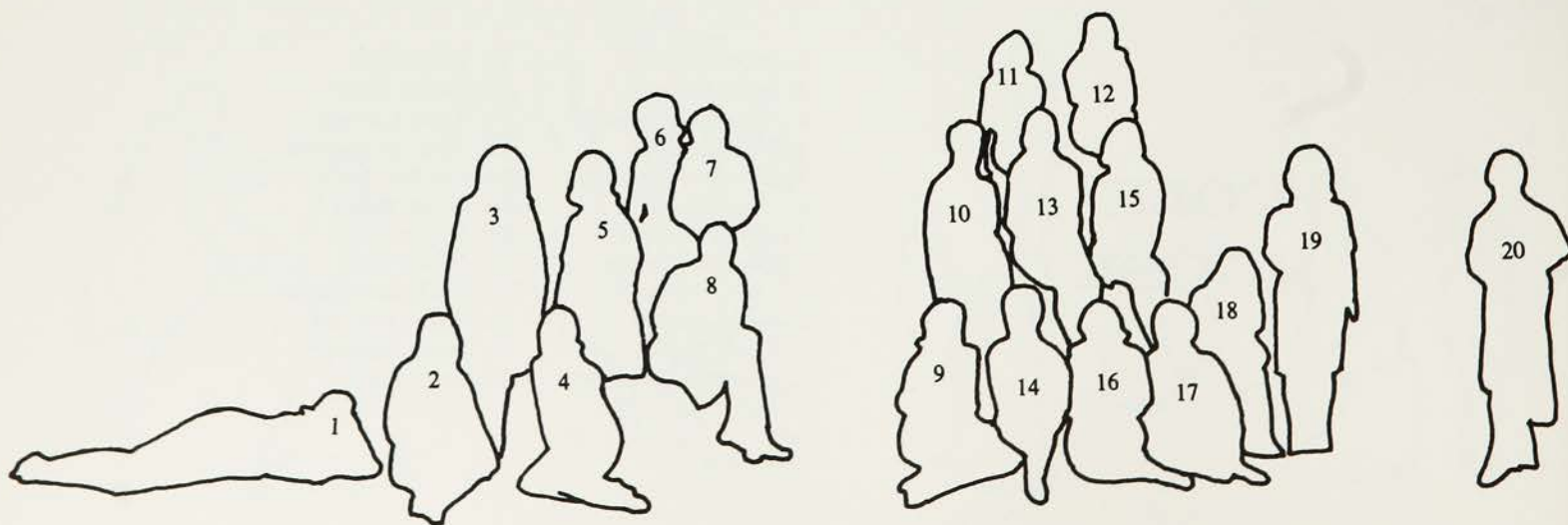
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9. Sue Shaker
10. Lynda Williams
11. Julie Whitman
12. Marcy Bardeen
13. Julia Caiola
14. Stephanie Peoples
15. Sue Heard
16. Jacqueline Buhrman,
Freshman Class Advisor
17. Pixie McDevitt
18. Emily Copeland
19. Lindy Converse
20. Jackie Burns
21. Sharmon Ringwalt
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23. Jackie Cooke
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26. Debbie Hanish





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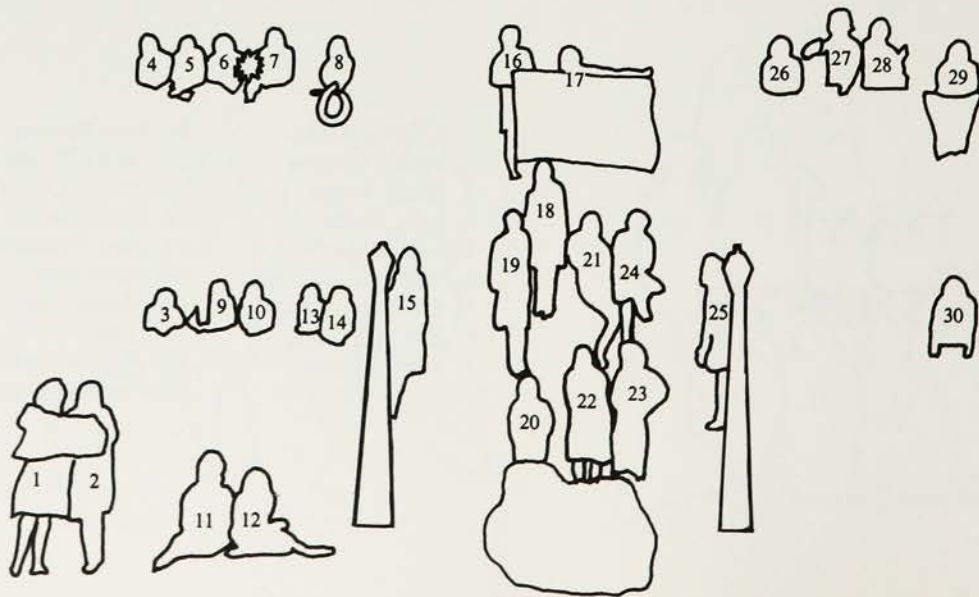
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| 4. Beth Cowden | 17. Ellen Stephenson |
| 5. Eleanor Culbertson | 18. Lee Newbury |
| 6. Janet Powell | 19. Robin Brody |
| 7. Robin Gamble | 20. Terrie Zirkle |
| 8. Dee Dee Parham | 21. Nickie Bush |
| 9. Liz O'Gorman | 22. Katherine Rogers |
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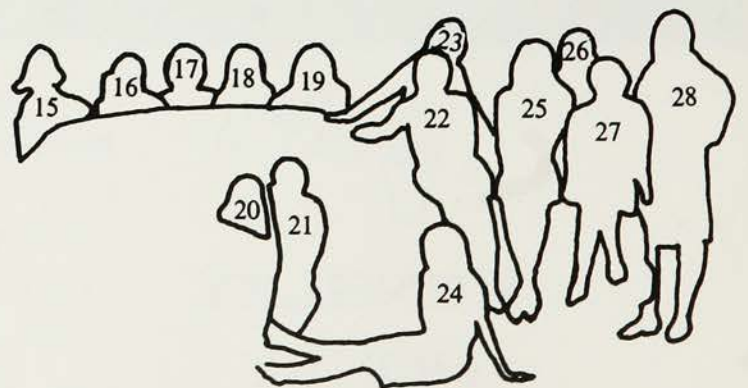
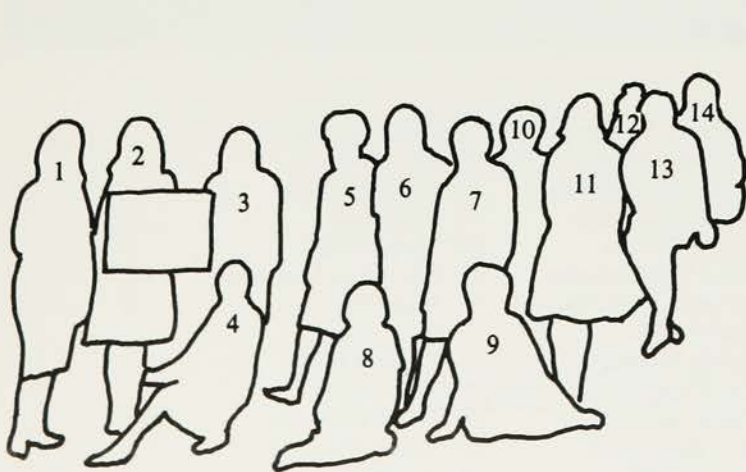




DAY STUDENTS

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| 1. Cynthia Burks | 11. Jane Walters |
| 2. Nancy Llerena | 12. Shelly Portner |
| 3. Susan Troup | 13. DeAnn Gorey |
| 4. Julie Pineau | 14. Sara Shorter |
| 5. Lynda Langfeld | 15. Jane Youngblood |
| 6. Margery Goldberg | 16. Jane Leech |
| 7. Linda Grantham | 17. Martha Frances Ayers |
| 8. Elsie Henning | 18. Nancy Smith |
| 9. Kim Charnes | 19. Alicia Ravenel |
| 10. Kathy Hause | 20. Peguita Whipple |

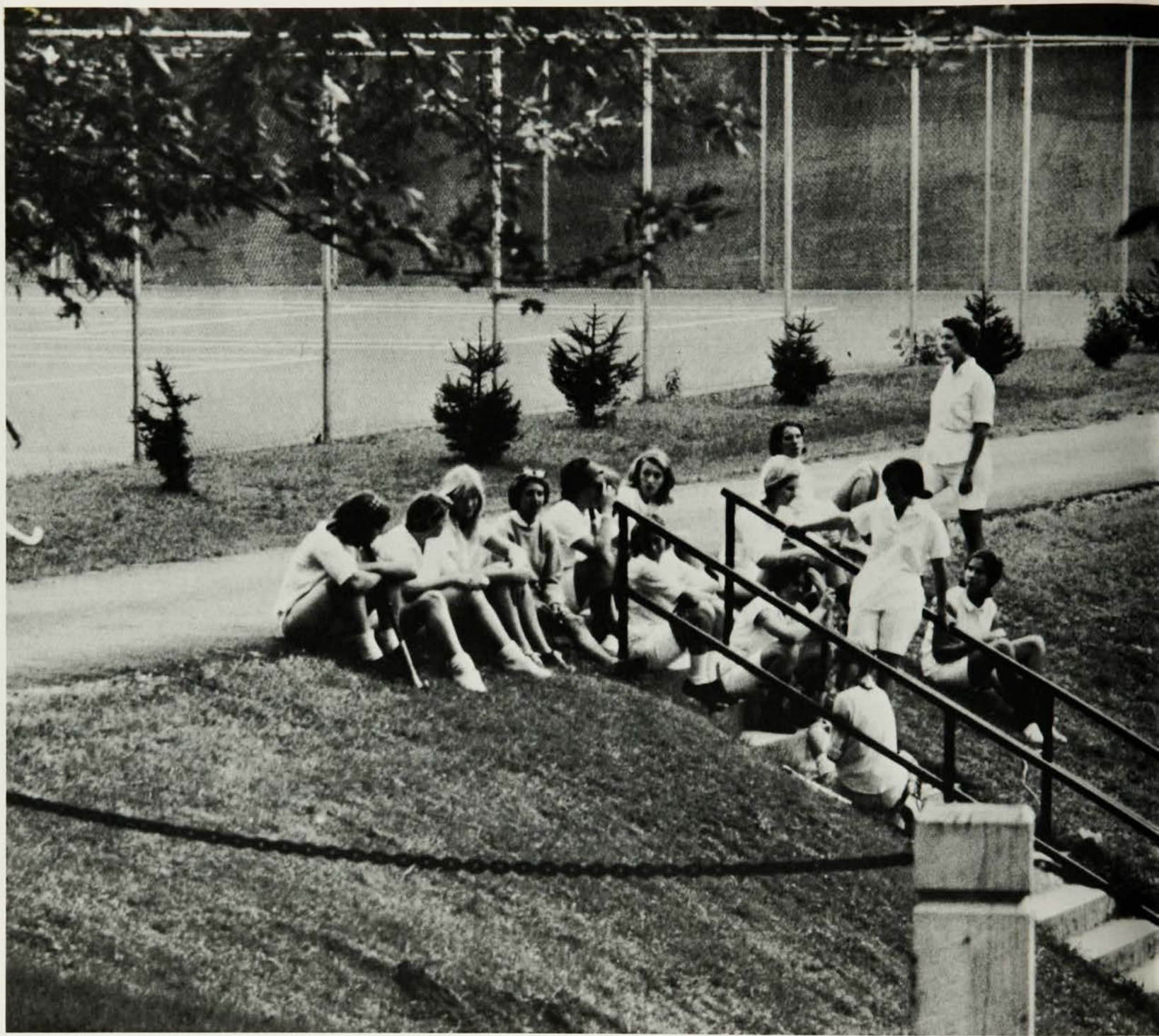






MERRIWEATHER HOUSE

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| 1. Martha Farwell | 15. Jeanette Noel |
| 2. Claudia McGill | 16. Ann Elmore |
| 3. Candy Warshaver | 17. Susie Jarman |
| 4. Betsy Rockhill | 18. Pam Gouger |
| 5. Corinne Shellabarger | 19. Betsy Carrier |
| 6. Tina Dillon | 20. Deenie Burke |
| 7. Peggy Belt | 21. Atha King |
| 8. Jane Campbell | 22. Karen Hanville |
| 9. Priscilla Sands | 23. Debbie Dillingham |
| 10. Lee Brodie | 24. Jane Ratsey |
| 11. Kathy Burrow | 25. Ethel Davis |
| 12. Mary Pearson | 26. Kathy Keyes |
| 13. Martha Gorman | 27. Laura Parr |
| 14. Bonnie Wyper | 28. Cindy Sheldon |





ORGANIZATIONS AND ACTIVITIES

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS



Patty Whitney, Vice-President; Rosa Hayward, Secretary-Treasurer, (second semester, Ingrid Collitt); Cynthia Young, President; Mr. Charles Stores, Senior Class Advisor.

FRESHMEN CLASS OFFICERS

Kathy Grant, President; Meredith Hencken, Secretary-Treasurer; Britty Bardes, Vice-President; Mrs. Jacqueline Buhrman, Freshman Class Advisor.



COOPERATIVE COUNCIL



Top Row: Terry Boynton, President; Jody Woodruff; Debby Dillingham, Katherine Rodgers; Sara McClanahan; Celeste McAshan. Middle Row: Berkley Johnson; Janet Niven; Kathy Grant; Cynthia Young. Bottom Row: Kitsy Thomas.

The Council enacts legislation concerning the Student Body with administrative approval and adopts new policies or changes old ones that affect the students. The Council also acts as a forum for hearing, approving, or rejecting policies. The hearing of reports and the request from the various student organizations, houses, and classes are discussed.

JUDICIAL BOARD

The Judicial Board is the Student Court which when created several years ago adopted a complete Honor System. The Board deals with all major infractions of the Honor Code. Members of the Judicial Board also help to familiarize students with the various procedures of the respect and loyalty for the ideals of the Honor System.



Beth Beeland; Kathy Braden; Jody Woodruff, President; Susie Heard; Virginia Kirks; Peguita Whipple; Terry Boynton.



DAY STUDENTS

Standing: Susan Troup, Susan Garbler, Secretary; Tara Avery, Treasurer; Mrs. Veronica McLaughlin, Day Student Faculty Advisor; Jannie Brewer, President; Cathy Welsh, Vice-President; Karen Callen. Sitting: Virginia Kirks, Peguita Whipple.

HOUSE PRESIDENT'S COUNCIL



Jannie Brewer, Wendy Williams, Kitsy Thomas, Celeste McAshan, Janet Niven, President.



COLE HOUSE



Mrs. Beula Lindner, Housemother.

◊ Kathleen Fanelli, Nancy Grover, Vice-President; Nicki Bush, Janet Niven, President; Brenda Beckmann, Secretary-Treasurer; Cathy Hayden, Terri Zirkle, Beth Cowden.



CLARK HOUSE



Mrs. Elizabeth Walsworth-Bell, Housemother.

◊ Standing: Ginger Walker, Jo-De Mooney, Virginia Hendry, Secretary-Treasurer; Alice McKinny-Smith. Sitting: Ginger Sweet, Kitsy Thomas, President; Cindy Thorn, Vice-President; Marion Shepherd. Missing: Debby Hanish.



HENSLEY HOUSE



Mrs. Marjorie Duffy, Housemother.

Standing: Betty Jo Allison, Bambi Cochran, Walker Pearce, Carolyn Jeffers, Secretary-Treasurer; Cyd Curbo, Margery Wilkins, Holly Amberg. Sitting: Celeste McAshan, President. Missing: Sidney Young, Vice-President; Oakley Mattingly.



Mrs. Eleanor Bereckman, Housemother.

Top Row: Karen Davis, Vice-President; Lexy Howland, Secretary-Treasurer. Middle Row: Wendy Williams, President. Bottom Row: Carol McNeilly, Jane Ratsey, Betsy Carrier. Missing: Candy Warshaver, Cindy Sheldon.

MERRIWEATHER HOUSE





BELL COTE

The *Merri-Post* is the school newspaper, organized and planned by the students. There are approximately five issues published each year, including articles of current events, essays and miscellaneous features. This year, the first issue was a Christmas preview of the paper, designed to give students an idea of their potential writing ability. D

Carolyn McDavid, Photography; Peggy Belt; Peggy Pickle, Business Manager; Bambi Cochran; Phyllis Kerper, Business Manager; Kate McMillan, Art Editor; Elna Riley, Photography; Holly Amberg, Co-Editor; Mrs. Lois Brodine, Faculty Advisor; Kit Rowell, Co-Editor. Missing: Mary Thatcher, Copy Editor; Debbie Dillingham.



MERRI-POST

Top Row: Sara Shorter, Kristin Forsberg, Ann Guptill, Jane Walters. Bottom Row: Sara Shafer, Freshman Co-Editor; Betsy Rockhill, Ann Groves, Senior Co-Editor.

BLUE STOCKING



Walker Pearce, Ann Dexter, Patty Whitney, President; Laura Parr. Missing: Mr. William Mosier, Faculty Advisor; Beth Arensberg, Corinna Shellabarger, Seabury Weaver.

Blue-Stocking is the literary club, advised by Mr. Mosier of the English Department. Various writings submitted by the students are selected by the club to be put into the magazine which usually comes out in the Spring.



Sitting: Beth Arensberg, Emmy Crispin, Corinne Shellabarger, Virginia Davis, Virginia Kirks, Secretary-Treasurer; Meredith Hencken, Lee Newbury, Peggy Coleman, President. Standing: Mrs. Julia Heflin, Faculty Advisor; Phyllis Kerper, Production Manager. Missing: Gay Wright, Pixie McDevitt, Jo-De Mooney.

CURTAIN CALLERS

The Curtain Callers bring to the campus a bit of the theatre, with productions throughout the year. During the Christmas Season, a reading is presented in Post Hall. This year *A Christmas Carol*, by Charles Dickens was given. Immediately following this production, work begins for the Spring production. This year it was *You Can't Take It With You*, by Moss Hart and George Kaufman. At another convenient time in the year, a play or reading may be presented by the members of the group. The girls are given an opportunity to increase their knowledge and experience in the theatrical arts.



Karen Kilgrow, Betsy Rockhill. Missing: Mr. Royce Dendler, Faculty Advisor.

FILM SOCIETY

The society feels that film making is an important means of communication today. This year the films have been enjoyed for their magical poetic expression by the combination of black and white with color, animation, or photo montage. After the presentation there is a group analysis discussion which is an aid in the understanding of the depth of the productions.



THE TRAVELERS

Mount Vernon's folksinging group was organized several years ago to promote interest in folk music. The activities include formal concerts at Christmas, Father's Day, and Alumni Week. The group also holds informal concerts for the Student Body throughout the year. Off-campus events include Christmas concerts at near-by hospitals. The biggest event for the Travelers occurs in the Spring when the group makes their record album.

Jody Woodruff, President; Tori Hill, Janet Niven, Secretary; Julie Witman, Mr. William Mosier, Faculty Advisor; Terry Boynton, Marcy Bardeen, Ann Groves, Treasurer; Cindy Sheldon.

Top Row: Carolyn McDavid, Sue Dorsey, Beth Beeland, Laura Susan Jones, Susie Jarman, Joannie McCasky, Rosa Hayward, Laura Parr. Middle Row: Meg Felt, Connie Grant, President; Deenie Burke. Bottom Row: Dale Boyle, Candy Warshaver, Jane Ratsay, Karen Davis, Mary Forsyth. Missing: Peggy Belt, Debbie Hanish.

GLEE CLUB

The membership of the Glee Club is limited to enable the girls to make the best use of their singing ability. Each Thursday they present well-rehearsed hymns for the Chapel Service. Founder's Day, Christmas and Easter are occasions when they put forth their best at a concert.





CHAPEL COMMITTEE

This committee plans weekly chapel services and invites speakers on religion or philosophy. Special Chapel services are planned throughout the year for such events as Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter. The committee is very important on campus in maintaining Mount Vernon's Christian tradition.

Virginia Kirks, Jane Leech, Meredith Hencken, Peggy Coleman, President; Cathy Welsh, Secretary-Treasurer; Ann Groves, Beth Beeland.

Sara McClanahan, President; Mary Thatcher, Terry Boynton, Jody Woodruff, Mrs. Eleanor Eckert, Faculty Advisor; New Members: Peggy Coleman, Charlesie Dearing, Britty Bardes, Nicki Bush, Ann Guptill, Meredith Hencken, Frannie McCarthy, Delia Parhman.

PHI THETA KAPPA

Mu Kappa is Mount Vernon's chapter of the Phi Theta Kappa National Honor Society which consists of Junior Colleges in the United States. The purpose of the club is to promote scholarship and to develop character in the individual student. This year, the club initiated the annual presentation of a silver cup to the student organization, having the highest academic point average.



YOUNG DEMOCRATS

This year the Young Democrats were involved with problems within the Washington, D.C. area. Several members did volunteer work on Capitol Hill and others helped with voter registration in Southeast Washington. The club concerned itself with the issue of Home Rule for the District and worked for its passage through Congress. As a member of the Federation of College Young Democrats, Mount Vernon's Y.D.'s heard many excellent speakers and participated in numerous seminars and social events.



Top Row: Nancy Nesson, Mary Thatcher, Patty Whitney, Peggy Coleman. Middle Row: Claudia McGill, Laura Susan Jones, Beth Beeland, Connie Grant, Meg Felt, Carolyn McDavid. Bottom Row: Carol McNeilly, Karen Davis, Candy Warshaver, President; Deenie Burke, Jane Ratsey.



YOUNG REPUBLICANS

This past year the Club has been mainly concerned with promoting college students to become interested in their government and become aware that they have a voice in its proceedings. This has been done in a number of ways such as working on Capitol Hill for Congressmen, precinct working, attending important conventions and dinners. There have also been well-known Republican speakers on campus discussing current governmental policies.

Top Row: Sue Dorsey, Jane Campbell, Aggie Fortune, President; Mary Pearson, Margie Wilkins. Bottom Row: Peggy Belt, Bambi Cochran, Elna Riley, Ann Groves, Secretary; Betty Jo Allison, Susan Thompson. Missing: Cyd Curbo, Debby Dillingham, Cathy Grant, Nancy Grover, Debbie Hanish, Bev See, Treasurer; Cindy Thorn.



Top Row: True Tailer, Tori Hill, Joannie McCasky, President; Jon Lee Levering, Katherine Rodgers. Bottom Row: Jody Woodruff, Terry Boynton, Dede Bent, Beverly See. Missing: Mrs. Martha Huntington, Faculty Advisor.

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

CHEERLEADERS



Top Row: Marcy Bardeen, Laura Susan Jones, Ann Dexter. Bottom Row: Jane Youngblood, Beth Beeland, Nani Wight. Missing: Mrs. Martha Huntington, Faculty Advisor.

GOLD KEY



The Gold Key is the present opening the door to the future. It is an honorary student guide society formed this year. The chief purpose of the organization is for its members to act as guides for prospective students. With the help of their advisor, Miss Sally Bet Cunningham, the Director of Admissions, the guides have been able to acquaint themselves with the past history of Mount Vernon.

Ann Dexter, Elna Riley, Nancy Nesson, Miss Kitty Terzie, Susan Garbler, President; Miss Sally Bet Cunningham, Faculty Advisor; Connie Grant, Laura Susan Jones, Beth Beeland. Missing: Charlise Dearing.



Meg Felt, Ann Elmore, Deenie Burke, Karen Davis, Ann Dexter, President; Mrs. Margaret Errington, Faculty Advisor; Kitsey Thomas, Betsy Carrier, Jane Ratsey.

LEND-A-HAND

Lend-A-Hand is the oldest club on campus. Its varied activities offer the girls of Mount Vernon an opportunity to work with underprivileged people in the Washington, D.C. area. The members donate their services to such institutions as the Children's Convalescent Hospital, the United Appeal, and the Settlement Houses in low-income neighborhoods. A new program involving the transportation of needy, school-age children to the Mount Vernon campus offers the children the opportunities of being tutored and of leaving their environs for a few hours each week.



SOCIAL LEAGUE



Standing: Marion Shepherd, Terry Zirkle, Walker Pearce, Kathy Hayden, Karen Callan, Jane Ratsey, Margie Wilkins. Sitting: Ginger Sweet, Berkley Johnson, President; Carol McNeilly. Missing: Mrs. Doris Coster, Advisor.

The chief aim of the Social League is to provide each student with a wide variety of social activities. A casual day-long mixer including touch-football, dinner and dancing started the year off in October. The Mayflower Hotel provided an elegant setting for the dancing, dining and wining of the traditional formal Christmas Dance. In March, concerts by the Princeton's "Tigertones" and the Yale's "Augmented Seven" were thoroughly enjoyed. The unforgettable William and Lee mixer held in the New Field was enthusiastically supported by all. May brought cherry blossoms as well as the traditional fun-filled Spring Weekend.



"You must be kidding!"

FRESHMEN



One Horseman of Apocalypse.

SENIOR

APPRECIATION WEEK



Cole House work party.

ORIENTATION



"They aren't laughing."



The Line-up of Freshmen Varieties

FRESHMEN VARIETIES



Those early American Indian Dancers.

♪ "Freshmen, the Seniors are
after you tonight!"



FACULTY-STUDENT PICNIC



"As I was saying in Government Class . . ."



"You just try and take this submarine away from me!"

The All Time Champ!



FOUNDER'S DAY

Mrs. George Lloyd, Guest-Speaker at
Convocation.



Dr. Elmer Kayser delivered the ad-
dress on Founder's Day.



CHRISTMAS BRINGS . . .



A Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens. The reading presented by the Curtain Callers; Meredith Hencken as Ghost Marley and Peggy Coleman as Scrooge.



and Santa.

A Midnight Dinner-Dance . . .



INGENUITIES



LSD or?



Our Gypsy.



Miss Cheesy Omelet



IRT or bust!



Off to classes . . .

FATHER'S DAY

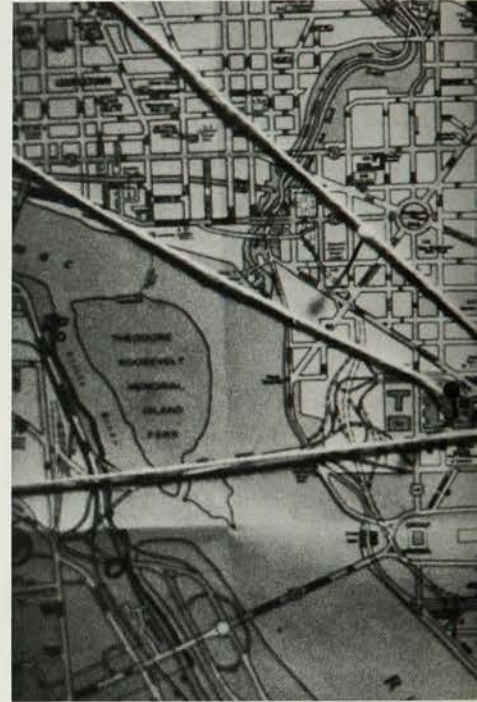


That eventful evening with Dad.



On their way . . .

IN WASHINGTON



Appreciating the traditional at the Corcoran Art Gallery.

Interpreting the modern at the
Cocoran Art Gallery.



The all-around Picketer in front of
the White House.



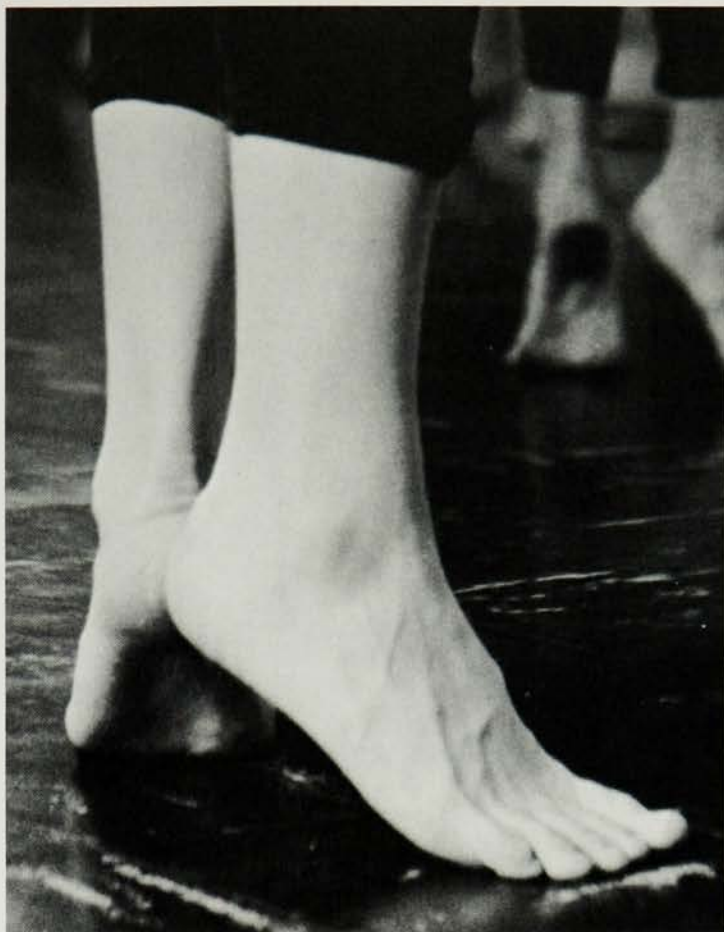
The pause that refreshes.



Off to the Hunt . . .



ATHLETICS



The lily whites.

An offensive defense.



Love?



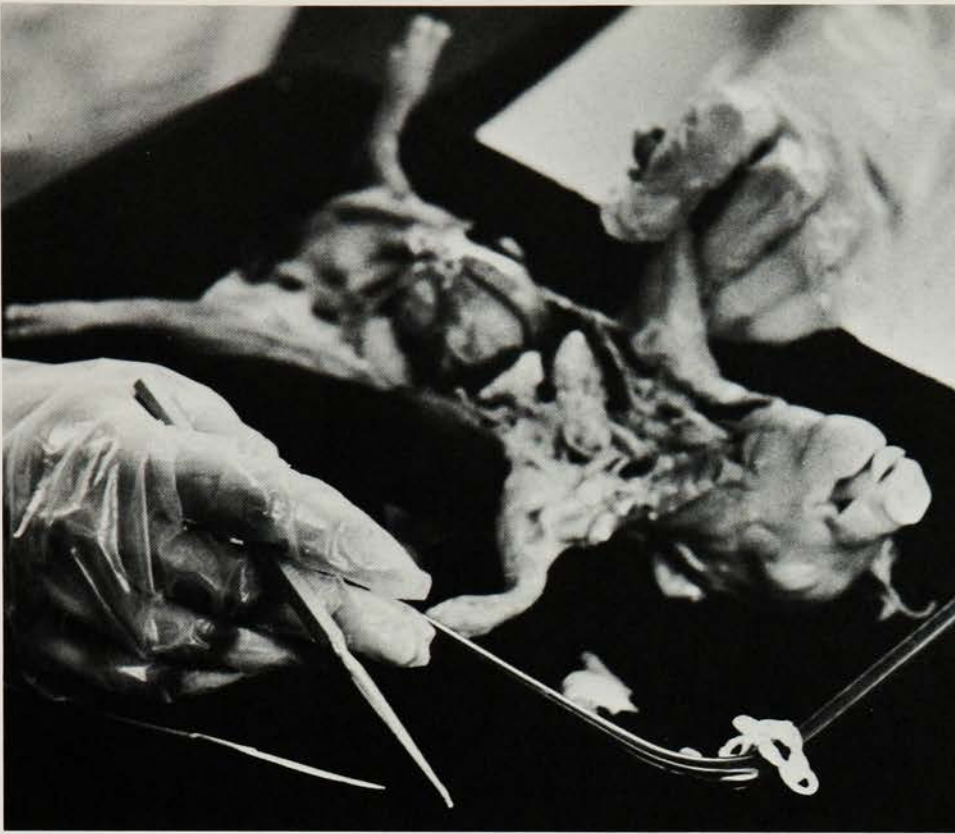
And then there was light!



Little Rascals.



Late Again?



"Now, where is that branchialplexusubclavianaxix?"



Ski much?



Veal or Veal??



THE GRAND FINALE

PATRONS

LEWIS H. POTTER, FLORIST

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Washington, D.C.

667-7800

THE SHOP FOR PAPAGALLO

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Washington, D.C.

483-5121

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338-0172

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333-5556

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337-8100

Griffith Consumers Company

1232 First St., N.W.
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Slater Catering Service



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The Mount Vernon Alumnae Association

